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The man who has a collection of books in his home, no matter how small it may be, is paving the way for his children to become useful men and women.

The Book Corner

Street Floor



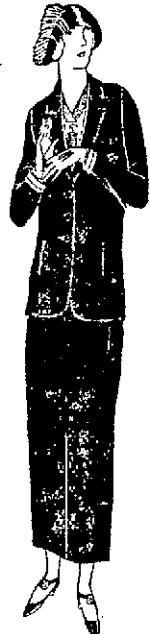
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## GIFTS OF GLASS AND SILVER

"different," "beautiful" and "practical" for Birthday Gifts, Bridge Prizes and the like.

Glass and Silver Shop

# Nothing Smarter for Spring Than THE TAILORED SUIT



For all-around daytime wear this Spring, the Boyish Tailored Suit is accepted as the smartest costume. New suits just arrived at the Bon Marché fashion shops give equal favor to the unusual "hair lines" and severely tailored navy blue charmeens and Poiret twills.

All hand-tailored—bound with silk grosgrain ribbon—straight wrap-around skirts—fit beautifully—correct in style and workmanship.

**\$35 \$39.50 \$45 \$49.50 \$55**

## FLANNEL FROCKS

Youth calls for flannel—and flannel it is! Only one mill makes the quality flannel we insist upon. Our Flannel Dresses are soft and sheen-like as crepe de chine.

All the bright Spring colors.

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Particularly engaging are the Motor or Sport Coats of the season. Developed in bright, saucy shades—

Lichengreen Geranium  
and the universally becoming  
Tans and Browns.

ANGORA DOWNT WOOL  
PARIS LA MODE CAMELS HAIR

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## Delightful New Silk Dresses

## For Afternoon Wear

Copied from individual frocks of much higher price, these lovely Silken Frocks for Spring are in such fashionable colors as—

POUDRE BLUE BEIGE  
MOSS GREEN COCOA  
PUSSY WILLOW GREY

**\$19.50 \$25 \$29.50  
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DO YOU WANT A BARGAIN IN A

## Winter Coat, Fur Coat, Suit or Sport Skirt?

We Have Marked Every One at a Bargain Sale Price

17 Fine Fur Trimmed Coats—sizes 16 to 38 .....  
7 Fur Coats, Hudson Seal .....  
10 Winter Suits .....  
25 Sport Skirts .....  
25 Wool and Chiffon Velvet Dresses.....

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## YOUR BABY



How  
Old  
Is  
She

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Beginning to talk a bit, walk a bit, and find her way "into everything."

Measuring her "short length on the floor more times than you can count. Exhibiting an extraordinary faculty for getting her face, hands and clothes dirty, half an hour after her bath.

## SHE NEEDS ROMPERS

Button her up in a pair and let her tumble, crawl, and slide to her heart's content. Rompers in excellent variety.

**\$1.49 to \$3.98**

Third Floor Children's Shop

HATS  
That Are "Different"

HATS  
that are new---daringly  
new---with dash---style  
and quality, which all  
discriminating women  
prefer.

MILLINERY SALON  
The Second Floor

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Waiting for you in the Lending Library. Why not read it Sunday afternoon?  
Fiction, 3c a day. Non-Fiction, 5c a day.

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## SILK BLOUSES



are  
Masculine

Prominent in the cast with the boyish suit for Spring, Silk Blouses acquire a subtle air of masculinity.

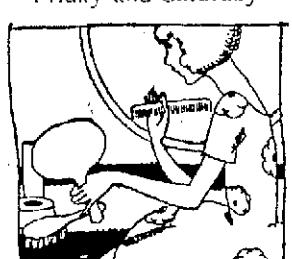
POUDRE BLUE  
BRICK DUST  
CAMEL  
TAN  
WHITE

**\$4.98, \$9.98  
\$12.50**

Blouse Shop Second Floor

A Special  
Value

Friday and Saturday

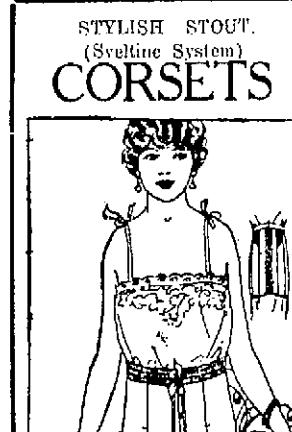


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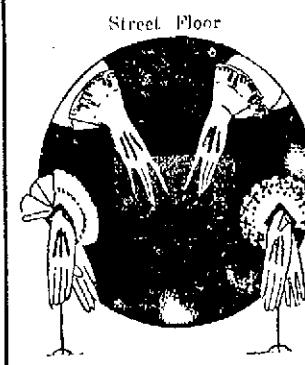
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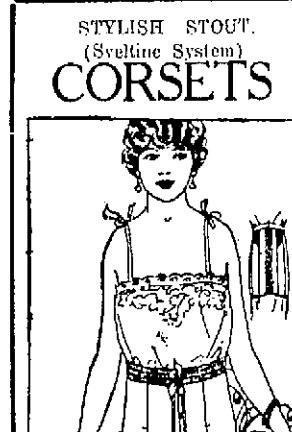
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The largest assortment of Trefousse, real Kid and Suede gloves, all styles of gloves that are made. Fancy cuff with embroidery, 1-clasp with short fancy cuff strap wrist, 1 or 2 clasp, in all shades, 12 and 16 button.

2-Clasp Trefousse Kid, in all shades, with heavy embroidery..... \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50  
Strap Wrist Gloves, in all shades, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50, \$5.50  
12-Button Kid Gloves, in brown, grey, navy, tan, white and black silk, white..... \$6.00

When a man buys a Regal he buys  
COMFORT  
DURABILITY  
STYLE  
The price of Regal Shoes is standardized—\$6.60  
—any pattern.

Street Floor

STYLISH STOUT  
(Svelting System)  
CORSETS

Double the effectiveness of your gowns. They create an appearance of slenderization of form lines which reflect charm and elegance to their costume.

**\$6.50**  
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## ATTACKS SEN. LODGE

Worse Than Kaiser, Says

Sen. Caraway—Also Raps

Coolidge at Lewiston

LEWISTON, Me., March 13.—Natural resources have been bartered away and the national security endangered by the sale of the last drop of the nation's reserve fuel. Senator Caraway of Arkansas told the democratic state convention here yesterday. The senator was bitter in his attack upon Attorney-General Daugherty, Senator Lodge and President Coolidge.

He declared that the post office had been much abused and misused, but in a campaign for the one most deserving of attacking the Massachusetts senator would win first place. Senator Lodge, he said, was not a political anarchist, but a politician and recited how when suggestion was made in the Senate that Secretary Denby resign, after the Teapot Dome scandal began, Lodge raced down the aisle of the chamber waving his hands and crying: "This is Lynch law; you are lynching Denby."

"And then that night," said the senator, "he went down to the White House and tried to lynch Daugherty by urging the president to ask for his resignation."

Senator Caraway said that the rank and file of the republican party were honest as were those of the democratic party, but that the time had come when they must choose between the ideals of the republican party and the organization in control of it. If they chose the ideals they must leave the party.

He blamed President Coolidge for his attitude in the oil scandal and declared that he should have got rid of Denby and Daugherty in short order. He charged that at the time President Coolidge selected Bascom Stemp to be his private secretary, Stemp was selling post offices in Virginia to the highest bidder and declared that he had in his possession letters written by Stemp to a man in a town where a republican in which he (Stemp), said he didn't care which had it; that it was to go to the one who would pay the money.

In his own state of Arkansas he said the post offices were being sold by the republican state committeeman for from \$50 to \$200 each.

The expected fight in the convention over the Ku Klux Klan did not materialize. Those who favored the plank apparently said all they had to say at the Tuesday night gathering, so were contented with a plank proposed by the committee which declared against government by an oath-bound secret organization; against the use of public funds for religious schools; for the separation of state and church and for liberty in religious worship.

The platform adopted declared for the enforcement of law instead of for the repeal of the state prohibitory law.

## Seek Evidence on

## Liquor Cases

Continued

committee's inquiry into the attorney general's administration.

Miss Stimpson, divorced wife of Jesse W. Smith of Washington Courthouse, Ohio, candidate and "bunker friend" of Mr. Daugherty, was brought here by Senator Wheeler, democrat, Montana, "prosecutor" of the inquiry, after a sojourn trip to Cleveland, to question her, and the opening of her story was packed with amazing disclosure, infatuations and charges. She said she came to defend her former husband, "who gave his life for Henry Daugherty."

Sobbing whenever her narrative brought before her the memory of her former husband's suicide ten years ago in Daugherty's apartments here, she gave the committee a breath-taking tale of relations between the two men. Smith's wealth, when he came to Washington in 1921 to be with the attorney general, she said amounted to approximately \$150,000, but had increased at the time of his death to \$250,000.

She testified that her former husband had called on her for aid in a number of transactions and had told her of other "deals" from all of which she insisted, he and Daugherty were to profit. The attorney general's name, she said, was not specifically mentioned, but she asserted that whenever

Smith had said "we" he meant Daugherty and himself, and she frequently used "they" in reference to the same two men.

## \$100,000 Clean-up on Pictures

Smith at one time, she testified, told her that "we" expected about \$100,000 in profits if exhibition of motion pictures of the Carpenter-Dempsey fight could be arranged, and on another oc-

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TAYLOR—John E. Taylor died yesterday at the home of Mrs. Edith L. Taylor, in West Fitchburg, aged 44 years, 11 months and 3 days. Mrs. Taylor was the widow of Charles L. Taylor, and had been a resident of Lowell for a long period. She leaves two nieces, Mrs. James Stump Murphy and Mrs. Lillian Hard Hill. The body was removed to the chapel of Funeral Director John A. Weinbeck, 42 Middlesex street.

MCNAMARA—Michael McNamara, a well known resident of this city and a member of St. Patrick's parish, died today in his home at 52 Franklin street. He is survived by one son, James E., one daughter, Mrs. Josephine Traylor and several grandchildren.

KALENY—James Kaley, a well known member of the Greek community, died yesterday at the Lowell Corporation hospital, aged 35 years. The body was taken to the chapel of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell &amp; Sons.

FUNERAL NOTICES

CONFERED—Died March 11, Mrs. Alice (McMahon) Confered. Funeral will take place on Friday morning at 9 o'clock from her late home, 261 Fay street. Solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church at 11 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough, Sons.

DOWNGATE—Died in this city, March 10, William T. Downing. The funeral will be held Friday morning at 8 o'clock from the chapel of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell &amp; Sons.

Wheeler to Open Session

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**Josephus Daniels, Former Secretary of Navy, Tells of Efforts Made to Get Control of Oil Reserves During His Administration**

For the first time, Josephus Daniels, former secretary of the navy, tells in the following signed article, the "inside story" of efforts made to get control of naval oil reserves during his administration. It is a story that links most interestingly with recent developments in the oil lease investigation.

BY JOSEPHUS DANIELS

Secretary of the Navy During Wilson Administration

After congress had set aside naval oil reserves, many persons came to the navy department to inquire about leases.

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# NOBODY LIKELY TO GO TO PRISON IN BIG OIL SCANDAL

BY CHARLES P. STEWART,  
N.E.A. Service Writer

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Is anybody apt to go to prison on account of the oil scandal? Doheny, for instance? Or Sinclair? Nobody in Washington thinks so. Hull? It's just possible he may be prosecuted. But not probable. Still less so that he'll do time.

There'll be civil suits. The government will try to get back Elk Hills. Teapot Dome and land the Standard Oil company of California holds. Doheny has lost his job. Daugherty doubtless will lose his. Other jobs may be lost. There'll be a political effect, maybe a third party, maybe a chance for the house of representatives to elect the next president. But jail for anybody? Not a bit likely.

The oil investigators have taken most of a week going through the Washington telegrams sent to E. B. McLean, millionaire newspaper man, at Palm Beach last winter.

Why so much interest in McLean's telegrams?

Well, when the oil inquiry started, ex-Secretary of the Interior Fall, naturally, expected to have it known that he approved \$100,000 from Doheny just before handing him Elk Hills, got McLean to pretend he'd made the loan, which had to be accounted for somehow, because Fall had used the money to buy a ranch and questions were being asked.

When the deceit leaked out McLean was afraid it would be made very unpleasant for him on the witness stand before the investigators. So he did his best not to be called. Rafts of messages were sent to him telling him what the prospects were.

The investigators reckon that a man who was willing to try to help Fall out, as McLean tried, must know a lot about the whole case. They're trying to learn from his telegrams just what he did know. They want to know, too.

Senator Heflin got an idea that two of McLean's telegrams were from President Coolidge. Investigation proved that he was right. The president explained, however, that one of them was about the appointment of a commissioner of the District of Columbia, the other thanked McLean for complimenting a speech he had made. A big splash has been made because they were from the president, but they don't appear to have much to do with oil.

Some of the oil investigators don't get along very well together.

Senators Lenroot and Smoot are accused of trying to hush the inquiry up.

Then somebody started the story that Senator Walsh had been corresponding with Doheny. Walsh promptly read the correspondence. It seems he called Daugherty's attention to a letter from a man who wanted to

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Solid colors—blues, white, tan, heliotrope. Plenty to choose from, but they'll sell fast so you'll have to hurry .....

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## JEWS WILL CELEBRATE FEAST OF PURIM

Interest some capitalist in Montana. Doheny said he would be interested if Walsh would go in, too. Walsh and he couldn't; he was a senator and it wouldn't be right—wouldn't look well, anyway.

It all happened before Doheny's and Fall's names were linked.

Doheny says he won't even lose Elk Hills. He declares the inquiry is "all politics." He admits it's been made to look bad for him. But when the matter gets into court, he expresses all confidence that he'll come out all right. He adds that the government did better on the lease than on a lot of others it's made.

## AWAIT FURTHER WORD OF SANTIAGO'S FATE

NEW YORK, March 13.—Ward Line officials today awaited arrival of the Norwegian steamer Cissy at Baltimore for details of the loss of their freighter, the Santiago, which yesterday was reported sunk 60 miles south of Cape Hatteras, with 24 members of her crew.

No further word of the Santiago's fate has been received since the Cissy's captain sent a wireless message to the Ward Line offices announcing that he had picked up in a lifeboat 11 men of the vessel's crew of 25. The Cissy's captain reported that he had seen no other boats in the vicinity.

The Cissy is expected to reach Baltimore today.

## CHARGE NOTICE FROM EXPERIMENT STATION

Massachusetts Agricultural college experiment station has notified Middlesex county farmers that in the future, where agricultural activities are of primarily commercial in their nature or which rank as service to the individual rather than for the public good, it seems logical to make a reasonable charge for analyses of soils, fertilizers, etc., and also examinations of diseased farm animals. The experiment station had adopted this policy because it believes that only analysis work is performed for the general public good should be done without charge as in the past.

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the festival of Purim is significant. Home, religious school, social clubs, etc., are preparing to observe the feast in accordance with this tradition, in case it happens that no special service be held in the synagogue. In that event, the Sabbath preceding Purim there will be special prayer, and only portions of the Book of Esther will be read.

Local Jewish citizens will for the most part celebrate the Purim feast on Wednesday evening, March 19. For those who adhere to the older traditions, there will be special services of solemnity Thursday morning, March 20.

## MEETING POSTPONED

Many Jewish communities plan Purim dances and other social events, for solemnity is not to rule the Purim observance programs, except when the first formal rite at the reading of the Book of Esther in the synagogue.

Rabbi Elias Wolfson of the Jewish synagogue (Oshai Sfarad) at 143 Howard street, and Jewish synagogue (Sons of Montefiore), 132 Howard street, will conduct the annual services. Services will also be conducted in the usual way and formal ceremony of faith in the Jewish synagogue (Khalas Jacob), at 8 McIntyre street.

In the light of the interpretation,

## SCARFS USEFUL

Scarfs this season are usually adaptable so that they may be worn with a street frock to give warmth and protection and as a part of the frock when inside.

## OPERATION RESTORES HOPELESS CRIPPLE

BOSTON, March 13.—After being looked upon as a hopeless cripple Matilda Meyers, a patient at the Long Island hospital, is recovering, and will be restored to a measure of usefulness in industry by afeat of orthopedic surgery recently performed upon her by Dr. George K. Carpenter, attached to the staff of the Long Island institution, according to Dr. David J. Johnson, head of the institutions department.

Meyers was suffering from a fractured arm and a fractured leg of long standing and was helpless, being unable to walk or even feed himself. Dr. Carpenter is said to have bored a large hole through the ulna of the broken forearm and to have inserted the end of the humerus or upper bone through it in such a way as to give considerable up and down motion to the arm, and a great deal of freedom so far as twisting motion is concerned.

Into the large bone of Meyer's dis-

abled leg a V-shaped section cut from his shin bone was inserted. The femur or thigh bone had been broken in the thicks believed to be lost after ship

following earlier gains in London was aggravated by a rush of short cover-

ing.

Paris, March 13.—The statement of

the Bank of France issued today

showed a total of notes in circula-

tion of 39,929,369,600 francs, a de-

crease of 324,122,600.

This compares with an increase of 921,225,000 francs

during the preceding week.

Captain and crew of freighter San-

cto, in which the man sustained in day's storm.

## SHIP CIRCLES STIRRED BY SEIZURE OF STEAMER

NEW YORK, March 13.—Steamship circles today were stirred by the news of the seizure by customs officials of the Royal Mail Line's crack steamer *Orduna*, late yesterday under orders of the treasury department which alleged violation of the customs law, the federal narcotics act and the prohibi-

tion law. The operators asserted that in their opinion action of the government in seizing a British ship had raised

serious issues.

PLEATS POPULAR

Blouses are very smart this year,

not only for sports skirts and after-

noon frocks, but many pleated blouses

are to be seen as well.

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For Baby's Skin

Soap, Ointment, Talcum sold everywhere.

## Golfulor Two-Tone Knit Dresses and Suits—For Spring and Summer Wear

**Tailored Knitted One-Piece DRESSES**  
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**Tailored Knitted Jacquette Suits**  
\$14.95

A two-piece suit, made of knitted fabric, similar to the above dress. The model shows snug long sleeves set into close fitting shoulders.

A feature of this suit is that the jacquette can be worn with a sport skirt, and the skirt can be worn with a sweater or blouse. Colors are—Harding, rust, grey, lusit, navy, Indian and Mexico, with pointed knitted inserts of contrasting colors.

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### MEN'S HOSIERY

Medium weight, fine Mercerized Cotton Hosiery—Black, navy, brown and gray. Sizes 9 1/2 to 12. Made with double sole, heel and toe, high splicing on heel. Fast colors.

**SPECIAL 35c, 3 for \$1.00**

### MEN'S STREET AND DRIVING GLOVES

Cape, suede, mocha and horse-hide, short wrist, lined and unlined. These are from sample lines, slightly soiled but selected stock at about

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Street Floor

## Oil Scandal Produces Another Presidential Possibility



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JOSEPHUS DANIELS

IS N. E. A. SERVICE OF RALEIGH, N. C., a. 13, 1923, oil lease scandals have dimmed the political prospects of some and brought others into positions of even more presidential possibilities.

For instance, there's Joseph Daniels, now favored by many Democrats as the nominee of their party.

His friends point to his eight years as a Washington as proof of his fitness.

Won Recognition

He was the only one of Woodrow Wilson's cabinet to serve throughout that president's two terms. When

he became secretary of the navy he was frequently saluted. What was he but a country newspaper editor, a lawyer who had never practiced?

His experience in politics had been confined to membership of a number of democratic national committees and to the direction of publicity in Wilson's 1912 campaign.

There Daniels was secretary of the navy, and the new work took into consideration all the latest shades.

## 41 MILES' SWEATERS

Hand-knitted jumpers and sweaters are to be very popular this season and the new work take into consideration all the latest shades.

## NO ALTERNATIVE

Between the long tight sleeve and the open armhole that requires no sleeve there is practically no alternative.

And when Daniels emerged from

the cabinet he was recognized as an efficient administrator, praised by critics and commended by investigators.

So much for his war record. But the Teapot scandal reveals a new Daniels. While he was secretary of the navy he refused to let anybody take the navy's oil.

Even after he was out of office he tried to prevent the transfer of leases. Two years ago he wrote a letter to Senator LaFollette in which he told how pressure had been brought against him and how he had fought to preserve the oil reserve intact.

## Opposed leases

"In my judgment," he told LaFollette, "not one acre of the naval reserve should be leased and congress should set a face of flint against the present exploitation."

Daniels was born in Washington, N. C., May 18, 1882. At 18 he was editor of the Wilson (N. C.) Advance, in 1891 he was made editor of the Raleigh State Chronicle, and in 1894 he consolidated that newspaper with the News and Observer, of which he has been editor ever since.

He was the most accessible man in the cabinet to newspaper men. Always smiling, always ready with an answer to every question.

His nature and his appearance made him a ready subject for lampooning. A little gray man, with wrinkled lines in his face and eyeglasses, black string ties and plain gray clothes. No pretensions of dignified-ness about him.

And he nearly always carried an umbrella, even when he went to the White House to cabinet meetings.

## Defied Court

Daniels is fearless. He showed it when he took the crook out of the navy.

He had criticized Judge Purcell for appointing receivers for the Atlantic and North Carolina railroad. He was adjudged guilty of contempt and fined \$2000. He refused to pay the fine and was arrested. Later he was dismissed from the charges by Circuit Judge Pritchard.

His last day as secretary of the navy Daniels was asked what he was going to do.

"Pack up and take the train for Raleigh," he replied. "In the morning breakfast with Mrs. Daniels and then back to the newspaper office."

"But with your experience, your services ought to be in demand at a high price. You ought to get a hundred thousand-dollar job."

"Maybe," said Daniels, "but I've held up a good many fat contracts and prevented certain gentlemen from making millions out of our Uncle Sam. These men don't want me, and the folks I know and like best haven't got any hundred-thousand-dollar jobs."

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Special for this sale 1-year guaranteed Rubber Hot Water Bottles, 63c

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Ripolin Enamel, pt. ..... \$1.40

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Extra quality rubber Hot Water Bottles at lowest prices.

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5 lbs. ..... 95c  
10 lbs. ..... \$1.80

Epsom Salts, lb. ..... 10c  
in cartons, 5 lbs. ..... 45c

Borax, in carton, lb. ..... 11c

Boric Acid, lb. carton ..... 33c

In bulk, lb. ..... 25c

Tartaric Acid, lb. ..... 55c

1/2 lb. ..... 33c

1/4 lb. ..... 17c

Ammonia, qt. ..... 45c

Pt. ..... 28c

(Bottles inclusive)

Olive Oil, qt. ..... \$1.30

Pt. ..... 73c

1/2 pt. ..... 40c

(Bottles inclusive)

Castor Oil, qt. ..... 60c

Pt. ..... 35c

1/2 pt. ..... 20c

(Bottles inclusive)

Witch Hazel, qt. ..... 60c

Pt. ..... 35c

1/2 pt. ..... 20c

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Baking Powder, lb. in carton ..... 39c

Sodium Phosphate, lb. can. ..... 29c

Sodium Phosphate, Effervescent, lb. ..... \$1.15

1/4 lb. bottle ..... 39c

Camphorated Oil, pint, \$1.10

Half pint ..... 60c

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Bay Rum, qt. ..... 75c

Pt. ..... 43c

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WATER GLASS ..... 14c qt.—40c gal.

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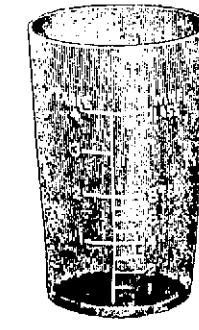
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True's Elixir, medium, 57c

Pond's Extract ..... 87c

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Parisian Sage ..... 53c

Glover's Mango Cure, 57c

Lydia Pinkham's Compound ..... 89c

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral (medium) ..... 45c

Father John's (large) ..... 87c

Scott's Emulsion (large) ..... 73c

Russell's Emulsion ..... 87c

H. K. Wapole's Cod Liver Oil ..... 79c

Vicks Vapoform (medium) ..... 59c

Gude's Pepto Mangan, 97c

Fantac ..... 87c

Gray's Glycerin Tonic (large) ..... \$1.07

Lavloris (large) ..... 79c

Listerine (medium) ..... 41c

Alkalol, 16 oz. ..... 73c

Lysol, 16 oz. ..... 83c

Zonite, 16 oz. ..... 93c

Sal Hepatic (large) ..... 83c

Pertussin (large) ..... \$1.19

Mentholumatum (large) ..... 77c

Musteral ..... 26c and 52c

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Pancreobismuth and Picric acid ..... 55c

Both for ..... 43c

Very Fine French Tooth Paste, individual cartons, 16 oz., 45c

High Grade Nail Brushes ..... 59c to \$1.50

Finest Shaving Brush, 4 oz. in case ..... 50c to \$5.00

Kelvyns Tooth Paste ..... 24c

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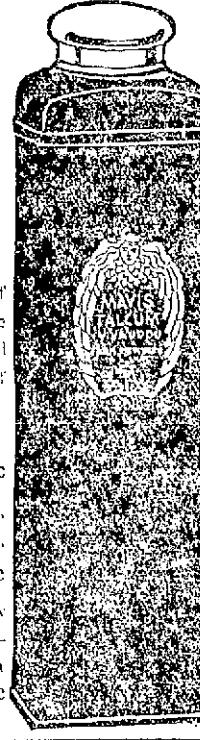
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25c Can of  
Mavis  
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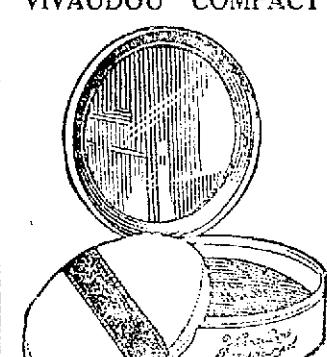
With every purchase amounting to \$1.00 or over in this department.

## SPECIAL

50c box of Mavis Face Powder and 50c Jar of Mavis Cream, Both for 45c

Mavis Face Powder, 50c box ..... 35c

Lady Mary Face Powder, 50c a box ..... 35c



Compact, metal box, large mirror, puff, \$1.25 value, during this sale only ..... 49c

Prophy-lactic Hair Dressing and Hercolite Head Rubbing Cream, \$1.25 value, Both for ..... 79c

Talbot's Superior Extra Laundry Soap ..... 9c per bar 12 bar \$1.00

Case 175 Bars



GETTING READY

Republican women are sharpening their tongues for the coming campaign. Photo shows group at National Women's Republican club, New York City, where trained speakers instruct rookies. On speakers' platform, left to right are: Mrs. Arthur L. Livermore, Mrs. Nettie Sluder, Mrs. Harriet Taylor Upton and Mrs. Rosalie Loewy Whitney.

## AMUSEMENT NOTES

## RIALTO THEATRE

"Trifling Women," Rex Ingram's own dramatic photoplay which opens at the Rialto theatre today, is a story within a story. In order to point a moral to his pleasure-loving and frivolous daughter, who ignores a devoted lover, her author-father reads to her the manuscript of his new novel, the story of Zarelda, the crystal gazer. He recounts the woman's terrible fascination, which leads brother to compete against brother, and father against son. He tells Zarelda's story on an old harp, whose soft tones, too, share her favor; of the young man's departure to war, the barren's death at Zarelda's instigation of Ivan's return and his discovery that she has married a wealthy marquis for his money; and finally of the illicit love of Ivan and Zarelda, costing them their lives in the sonner's tower.

A perfect cast has been assembled by Mr. Ingram to enact the roles of the photoplay. Among them are a quartet who appeared in "The Prisoner of Zenda," Lewis Stone, Barbara La Marr, Ramon Novarro and Edward Gennelly. Flawless acting is contributed by Mr. Stone in the role of the wronged marquis by the beautiful Barbara La Marr, one of the most brilliant of the newer screen celebrities as Zarelda; by Mr. Novarro, whose portrayal of young Ivan is certain to establish him as a famous leading man; and by Edward Gennelly, the veteran character actor whose impersonation of Ivan's father, the Baron Dr. Matting, is thoroughly masterful.

Other pictures on the bill include

**BE KEITH'S**  
ENTERTAINMENT CENTRE OF LOWELL

Big advance sale. Get your tickets now. Do not delay.

**HARRY WEBB'S**  
ENTERTAINERS  
Scoring the biggest hit of the season.  
"SOMETHING DIFFERENT"  
YOU SHOULD SEE THIS ACT  
"Blackface" EDDIE NELSON  
BERT SHADOW & MABEL LILIAN  
JACK KENNEDY & HELENE WHIT  
GARDNER & AUBREY  
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"THE LOVE BANDIT"  
A new seven offering with  
DORIS KENYON

**EMISSIONS**  
NOW PLAYING  
Rex Ingram's Mighty Production  
**"TRIFLING WOMEN"**  
With a noted cast including  
BARBARA LA MARR  
RAMON NOVARO  
LEWIS STONE

Dropped From the Clouds  
With EILEEN SEDGWICK

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Performance Continuous from 1 to 10:15. \*

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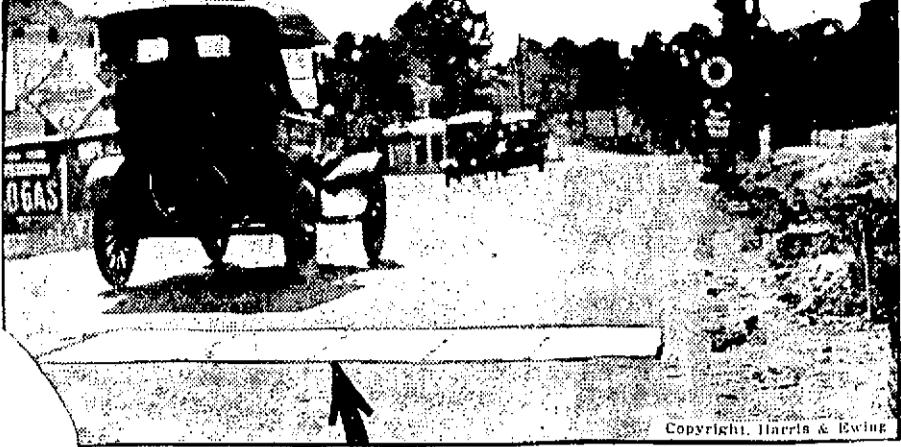
Now Playing  
On the same program with ELAINE HAMMERSTEIN in "Broadway Gold".

Fred Thompson in  
**"NORTH OF NEVADA"**  
COMEDY, NEWS AND BOSTON POST REEL. "Romance of Coffee."

Coming Soon, Monday, March 17, "The Stranger" Betty Compson, Richard Dix, Louis Stone and Tully Marshall.

Five Hundred Green Seats at Twenty Cts.

**MARION DAVIES**  
in *Little Old New York*  
**STRAND**  
THIS WEEK ONLY



TESTING TRAFFIC FOR ROAD BUILDING

Now highways are getting expert attention of traffic experts. For example, this one is undergoing a test by the engineers of the University of Maryland and the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads. It is between Baltimore and Washington. A platform is set into the road, resting on two concrete walls and connected to a recording apparatus by a hose of water. As an auto passes over it, the weight of both front and rear axles are recorded. Thus the engineers keep track of the amount and degree of traffic on the road.

breaks up a thrilling fight by ringing the fire alarm. For her trouble she is horse-whipped and then her lover rescues her, and of course the culmination is marriage and future happiness. The story has all of the pleasing elements of a high class photoplay. Don't miss seeing it.

## MERRIMACK SQUARE

The dramatic maid of the screen in a story of the bright lights, that is, in a few words, summed up "Broadway Gold." Elaine Hammerstein is ably supported by such stars as Kathryn Williams, Elliot Dexter, Richard Wayne and Harold Goodwin. Miss Hammerstein plays the leading role of a young chorus girl thrown into the big time and the dramatic center of Broadway in her struggle for fame and fortune. In short, the production is a glittering romance of the great White Way.

Other attractions include Fred Thompson in "North of Nevada," a comedy, "Up in the Air," the latest

Boston Post prize reel, "The Story of Grade A Milk," and the most recent International News Weekly.

## CYMA VS. AYER

The fast Ayer Town team will play the C.Y.M.A. basketball quintet tomorrow night in the Lyceum gym on Suffolk street. This should be one of the best games of the season owing to the classy playing of both teams and the keen rivalry. Last Thursday night the C.Y.M.A. went to Ayer and lost by three points, 31 to 28. According to the Ayer people, it was the best game played there this season because of the fast team work and the clean sportsmanship.

The lineup for the Ayer team will be: Darrow, Elliman, Worthworth, Fowler and Wadham. The lineup for the C.Y.M.A. team will be: Connor, Hooker, McNamee, Ashe, Randall, O'Brien and Keefe.

## SEEKING DEAN SULLIVAN

Information concerning the present whereabouts of Dean Sullivan, who formerly maintained a hair-dressing saloon, presumably in this city, is sought through the postmaster by John B. Sullivan of 15 B, George street, Lee Valley, Wombley, Yorkshire, England. Any information concerning a Dean Sullivan, who is reported to be in the United States, should be given to the postmaster who will in turn forward it to said John B. Sullivan in Yorkshire, England.

## CALLED "WITTIEST MAN IN AMERICA"

Neil O'Hara, who comes to Lowell on March 21 under the auspices of Lowell post, American Legion, has been called "the wittiest man in America." His lecturing is being received with greater popular acclaim than his newspaper articles. James E. Conway, chairman of the Legion committee, which is in charge of the affair, is a personal friend of Mr. O'Hara, having roomed with him for four years. Howard Torkes, for the O'Hara lecture, may be secured at McElroy & McQuade, Gardner's and Green.

## REAL IRISH NIGHT

AUDITORIUM and LIBERTY HALL

Monday, March 17

## TICKETS

For Sale at the Following Places:  
RELATIVITE DRUG STORE  
CONCORD DRUG STORE  
BRUNELLI'S DRUG STORE  
NOONAN'S DRUG STORE  
WEBSTER'S DRUG STORE  
CENTRALVILLE FISH MARKET  
NEVINS' STORE  
GREEN'S DRUG STORE  
GALLAGHER'S CANDY STORE  
HARRY'S CONFECTIONERY  
BROWNS' DRUG STORE  
KIRKMAN'S DRUG STORE  
REARDON'S—Broadway  
MARCHAND'S AUTO SUPPLY  
BARLOW'S—Report  
CARROLL'S VARIETY STORE  
MITCHELL'S BROS. MARKET  
BARDWELL'S BROS. CANDY STORE  
SHEPPARD'S GROCERY  
CAMPBELL'S DRUG STORE  
HENRY'S VARIETY STORE  
MRS. BATES' VARIETY STORE  
HOGAN'S BAKERSHOP  
KIRKMAN'S—Globe  
GLOBE DRUG STORE  
UNIVERSITY MILKERY STORE  
SHARKEY'S REAL ESTATE  
FITZGERALD'S TOBACCO STORE

## KILLING OF HEATON KING HUSSEIN CALIPH OF ALL THE MOSLEMS

Said to Have Been Involved in Other Attacks Similar to That on Gates

COLUMBIA, S. C., March 13.—Richard H. Heaton, who was killed in Lorisville last Saturday by William Gates, who in his confession to the police declared Heaton had kidnapped him and held him prisoner for the purpose of performing an operation on him, was wanted in Lake City, S. C., for two attempted attacks, similar to that on Gates, according to the The Columbia State. According to the story, the attacks were attempted last November and December by Heaton, a confederate known as W. A. Rogers and an unknown woman. The assaults were made on a prominent citizen of Lake City whose name is concealed. The attorneys said Heaton had been positively identified.

JERUSALEM, March 13.—In accepting the offer of the caliphate, conferred on him by the Palestine delegates, King Hussein of the Hejaz, as caliph of all the Moslems, took place on Tuesday, at Shueneh, Transjordan and to be described as impressive.

A great Palestinian delegation composed of Mufitis, Cadi, Ulema, sheiks and other notables took part, all the Arab parties of Palestine combining in order to demonstrate to the world their unity. Syria also was represented.

Abdul Mejid, whom the Turks recently deposed as caliph, telegraphed his congratulations to Hussein in the name of the whole Turkish royal family.

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Life first appeared on the earth during the zoicole period, second of the six geological periods.

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## AULD LANG SYNE

Should auld acquaintance be forgot,  
And never brought to mind?  
Should auld acquaintance be forgot  
And days o' auld lang syne?

For auld lang syne, my dear,  
For auld lang syne,  
We'll take a cup o' kindness yet,  
For auld lang syne.

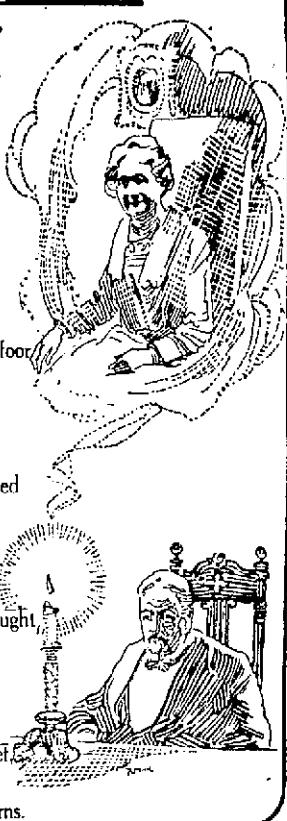
We twa hae run aboot the braes  
And pu'd the gowans fine;  
But we've wander'd many a weary foot  
Sin' auld lang syne.

We two hae paddl'd t' the burn  
From morning sun till dñe;  
But seas between us braid hae roared  
Sin' auld lang syne.

And here's a hand, my trusty fere  
And gie's a hand o' thine,  
And we'll tak a right guid willie-waugh!  
For auld lang syne.

And surely ye'll be your pint-stoup  
And surely I'll be mine;  
And we'll tak a cup o' kindness yet,  
For auld lang syne.

—Robert Burns.



## OUT OUR WAY



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Excerpt from the Annual Statement as submitted to the Massachusetts Insurance Department for the year 1923

INCOME,— PREMIUMS AND INVESTMENTS	\$ 2,089,754.22
RESERVE FOR POLICY HOLDERS	5,510,071.00
SURPLUS, RESERVED FOR POLICY DIVIDENDS	77,403.77
SURPLUS, UNASSIGNED FUNDS	411,911.98
INSURANCE IN FORCE	39,130,891.00

Since its organization the Company has \$7,425,546.51 paid to policy-holders and beneficiaries

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Herbert O. Edgerton, President  
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A. H. Davison, Assistant Medical Director  
Patrick J. Lane, Manager Claim Dept.  
Robert King, Superintendent of Agencies

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**Are You a  
Tired Out  
Housewife?**

Many people do not realize that the most exhausting of all work is housework and the care of children. Many a woman who should be in the prime of life finds her strength gone, her nerves unstrung and is weak, worn out and run down with pale, thin, watery blood from the strain of housework.

In such cases, what you need is something to put more iron into your blood. Nuxed Iron contains iron like the iron

in spinach, lentils and apples, and like the iron in your blood. You will be astonished at how much better you feel often in even a few days.

Try taking Nuxed Iron for two weeks,

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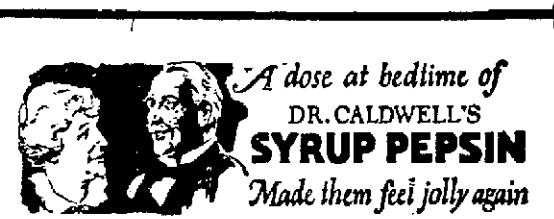
LOWELL EAGLES  
VISIT LAWRENCE

A delegation of more than 60 members of Lowell Aerie of Eagles last night attended a bazaar being conducted by Lawrence Aerie in the Winter Garden in the downtown city. The Lowell delegation left this city early in the evening in a special car and were the guests of Lawrence Aerie for several hours. Worthy President Thomas F. Quinn was in charge of the Lowell party.

## DETACHABLE COLLARS

Dainty, detachable lingerie collars that give a note of freshness to any suit or gown are featured in all spring and summer styles.

DRESSES for \$10 that would win instant appreciation at much higher prices—Dresses combining a perfection of design, a superiority in workmanship, a uniqueness of trimming. All for \$10! Placed on sale tomorrow morning as another economy achievement of Fashion's Basement.



## Good Health In Happy Old Age

THE chief concern of elderly people is their health, and that is best assured by regular daily bowel movement. There is no truth, however, in the notion that because you are old you need a "strong physic." In fact, just because you are old a mild laxative is better for you. The trouble with purges and cathartics and physic is that they shock the system and weaken it, and rule the muscles of digestion. Dr. G. H. Brown, V. S., of Frederic, Wis., nearly wrecked his stomach with purgatives. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin restored his health, as it did Mrs. J. S. Etheridge's, of Milledgeville, Ga.

## Does Not Grip

You can be sure of satisfactory evacuations every day if you will take a spoonful of Syrup Pepsin at night when you retire. You will not need to take it very long as a few doses will soon encourage the bowels to act for themselves.

If You Want to Try It Free Before Buying...  
"Syrup Pepsin," 317 Washington St.,  
Monticello, Illinois.

I need a good laxative and would like to know what you say about Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin by actual test.

Name.....

Address.....

Not more than one free trial bottle to a family.

ing with the following members of the central fire station at 4:35 o'clock yesterday taking part. Harry Cohen, Ben today afternoon. The fire was quickly extinguished and there was no damage.

## FAUCET DISHWASHER

The faucet dishwasher which consists of a bundle of tubing and a spray-nozzle and soap container is one of the most practical helps in dish washing that has yet been devised.

## TELEPHONE ALARM

The discovery of a bundle of shoulderings rags in a bundle at the nozzle and soap container is one of the most practical helps in dish washing that has yet been devised.

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## WHY NOT ANNEXATION?

And now an adverse report is made on the annexation bill of Rep. Achin, on what grounds we know not. Is the legislature opposed to the expansion of cities outside Boston? Possibly the people of Lowell can give these alleged solons a demonstration of public sentiment on the matter by a popular vote on the question. It may be that the committee on cities is as firmly bound to the status quo as are some of the country towns that have changed but little since revolutionary days. Lowell needs room for expansion. So does Lawrence and other cities similarly situated. The cities as constituted before the days of the auto and the airplane are too congested. They must expand or be reconstructed. Why not utilize part of the vacant land outside their borders in the adjoining townships in the expansion process? Is it because the legislature says they mustn't?

There is no law to prevent a discussion of the question of annexation between citizens of Lowell and residents of the adjoining towns. Neither is there any law to prevent submission of the issue to the voters, although some members of the legislature might feel disposed to place such a barrier in the path of municipal progress.

## TO DREDGE THE CONCORD

That news from the state house to the effect that \$3000 is to be appropriated for dredging the lower Concord river, will please a great many Lowell residents who have found the Concord a source of annoyance in hot weather. This report has been made by the Ways and Means committee on the petition of Rep. Brennan. It is hoped the bill will pass and that the work will be done when the water is low next summer. Although the amount named may hardly be sufficient, it will get the work well started and will probably insure its completion as a necessary step for the protection of the public health.

## THE TEXTILE OUTLOOK

Although the textile industries of Fall River suffer probably more from southern competition than those of most other mill cities in New England, and although the factories there have been running only a little over 25 per cent of their capacity, yet the textile spincers bring a note of optimism from the border city that must be reassuring to the mill workers of other New England cities.

It is estimated that a number of the mills of Fall River are changing their spinning rooms to turn out finer fabrics than they have been manufacturing, on such occasions when all purchases are more or less crippled and when even the serviceable spinning rooms are being closed. The conditions are better of late, southern mills are put out of commission, the mills it is estimated that an entire series of spinning rooms are to go through such an orde, what is to go through such an orde, than they have been manufacturing. It is also true that some of them are putting in automatic looms which will not serve the purpose. The encroaching tide in the situation is that the mill men of Fall River are not talking of closing out and are not whining over restrictions as to hours of labor, but are simply fortifying against their competitors and preparing to hold their place near the head of the procession. That is the way to fight competing from any source, and it is the policy that will command respect and approval from the public in general, and particularly from the mill workers. It is generally conceded that by advancing to finer fabrics the New England mills can defy competition from the south or the west; and that the textile manufacturers are determined to adopt this method is quite encouraging. Another note of interest to textile workers hereabouts is that the depression now felt by the textile industry of New England, has reached the southern mills also, and that as a result their competition is not likely to be as formidable for some months as it had been in the past. Moreover, the south is to be faced with a government for higher wages and better working conditions when the spincers, especially, are to raise the standards of labor in the center territories as nearly as possible to the New England level. That will put an end to this legacy of southern competition.

## MILL WORKERS

Only those who had to brave the blizzard in returning from work on Tuesday evening or getting to the factories yesterday morning can realize what is to go through such an orde, what is to go through such an orde, than they have been manufacturing. It is also true that some of them are putting in automatic looms which will not serve the purpose. The encroaching tide in the situation is that the mill men of Fall River are not talking of closing out and are not whining over restrictions as to hours of labor, but are simply fortifying against their competitors and preparing to hold their place near the head of the procession. That is the way to fight competing from any source, and it is the policy that will command respect and approval from the public in general, and particularly from the mill workers. It is generally conceded that by advancing to finer fabrics the New England mills can defy competition from the south or the west; and that the textile manufacturers are determined to adopt this method is quite encouraging. Another note of interest to textile workers hereabouts is that the depression now felt by the textile industry of New England, has reached the southern mills also, and that as a result their competition is not likely to be as formidable for some months as it had been in the past. Moreover, the south is to be faced with a government for higher wages and better working conditions when the spincers, especially, are to raise the standards of labor in the center territories as nearly as possible to the New England level. That will put an end to this legacy of southern competition.

## TUBERCULOSIS

Tuberculosis costs the United States \$50 million dollars a year, according to the Anti-Tuberculosis League. It arrives at this figure by estimating that each year of the average person's life is worth \$100 in the form of national wealth. Thus a person who dies five years prematurely means a loss of \$500 to national wealth. Surely we are worth more than a year apiece to the nation. But even that few dollars means a loss of half a billion dollars a year. If we reduced this vital danger, they might stop fighting one another, and concentrate on the common enemy, disease. The money spent on the World War would, if devoted to scientific research and health measures, eliminate nearly every disease now known.

## PRICES STRONG

John's Review is authority for the statement that wholesale prices continue strong, which indicates that the purveyors and contractors have confidence in the business outlook. At the present time commodity prices are almost exactly the same as last October. They are, however, 60 per cent above the prices that prevailed before the war, and it is doubtful if the price level will again be reached, at least in a great many years.

There are but two parts of the contemplated automobile bill which New England craftsmanship does not enter. There are tire factories in this part of the country that produce high quality examples of the necessary motor car attribute. Wheel springs, axles, cloth, tire fabrics, leather, hardware, ignition and starting mechanisms, radiators, spark plugs, speedometers, clocks, window shades and any number of other important and necessary accessories and parts are contributed by plants here in New England.

It is any wonder that the motor vehicle industry has many good reasons for looking with admiration upon New England? As President J. H. McAlpin of the Boston Automobile Dealers' Association, says in a commendatory interview:

"New England is not only recognized as one of the best retail centers in the country, but it contributes many essential things of the highest quality that go into the makes and better business."

## SEEN AND HEARD

A man who uses his head will never get over it in debt.

only thing in the way as much as a drunk is a man who is as tight as a drum.

Chinese general baptized 3100 soldiers to celebrate his wedding. The soldiers hope he never gets a divorce.

## South Main Gund

Mother Santa Claus kissed me last night. "She's to be still dear, as he did, mother; he kissed me and said, 'Get to sleep, like a good little girl, while I get your mother's ring out of her jewel box to surprise her.' Sure enough, the ring was gone!"—Brooklyn Eagle.

## Taking No Chances

"There's a gentleman to see you," said the new maid. "You haven't left him in the hall, have you?" asked the mistress. "Bless you, no, ma'am. He's waitin' outside on the steps, all right, an' I took good care to shut the door, too, before I come to tell you."

## Money Isn't Everything

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## Silver Linings

"Hiram, don't you feel disgruntled in that you can't get to work in all the luxury and comfort there is in traveling, but it can't buy appreciation of things," said one remarked Mr. Gilbert Stuart, the famous American artist. "For instance," he went on, "a millionaire spent a month in Italy. What is it like?" asked his stay-at-home acquaintance, on his return. "Why, it's a boat, of course; he answered contemptuously. ' Didn't you never study geography?'"

## For Comfort's Sake

A minister in a small Spanish town noted the example of a particular member of his congregation. At the church meeting one day, he thought it his duty to commend him for his good example and express his appreciation. "I am delighted," he said, "to see one of my parishioners take such an interest in the church, which so regards your personal tract you are enjoying spiritual comfort from my ministrations." "It's not that, man," replied the supposed devotee, in the father of a big family, an elderly aye site a stoker in the Sawtooth mountains that I am glad to get out of the house. When I get into my room I am like a father and a mother, I am afraid to answer the phone. I wish I was there for a year."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

## PUTTING ON THE RIBBON

Miss Forte was a stickler for discipline and she was most keen of all to have all the pupils of her class attend regularly to one of her little charges, one morning, had brought in a note from his mother, asking if she could excuse him from school, as he was rather fatigued. "Why were you not here yesterday?" "No Miss Forte," was the reply. "Then you will kindly tell me why you were away?" "I had to go to the dentist with a toothache," replied the child. "Well, that's too bad," said the teacher. "I will give you a sympathetic hearing, but it will not do to do it again." "How is it that you don't know whether your tooth aches or not?" "Please, Miss Forte," came the reply in shaky tones, "the dentist kept it."

## March

The month of March is like a red rose, it sighs to the sources of spring; the wind of the wind where the naked trees nod, and like a banister with wings; The whispers that come from the silence of the night when we wake.

## March

The moon on the marsh from the sap's upward march, And the sun on the half-frozen lake.

## March

The fopperies these of the coming of life, To the earth that has summured so long, The infinity of winter with cheerless new life, The return of the birds and their return.

## March

By that thing and this—by the south zephyr's kiss.

## March

And the stirring that follows, we know.

## March

That March-time is here and is here, adding cheer.

## March

While the tulip, and crocuses blow,

## March

We have the taste of old March as the leaves of the trees;

## March

He is pictured as frothing and cross;

## March

But his found him the time when the winter-winds cease.

## March

And nobody criticizes the boy.

## March

And as often as he is provided as a boy.

## March

So many days are sunny and sweet,

## March

So many with a year when old,

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March is in head.

## March

My friend, put a few, that we greet,

## March

Strickland Gilligan in Farm Life,

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THEY WILL DECIDE LUDENDORFF'S FATE  
Here is a group of justices and assistants in the Munich, Germany, high court, who are trying General von Ludendorff, Adolf Hitler and others. The charge is high treason.



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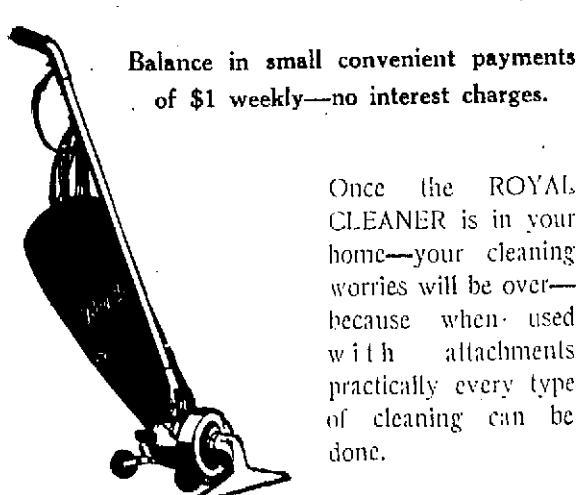
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## SAFETY WEEK CAMPAIGN

### Small Attendance at Opening Rally Held Last Night in Liberty Hall

Certain weather and rather deplorable traveling conditions were doubtless responsible last night for a very slim attendance of Lowell citizens previously summoned to appear at a rally conducted under the auspices of the Lowell Safety Week committee in Liberty Hall, Memorial Auditorium.

Twenty-two persons, including two public-spirited women, participated in a general discussion of safety first and safe roads programs of modern development. All agreed that Lowell should take the forward step and actively prove its desire to spread the cause of life-saving, yet so far as immediate organization of a local program is concerned, it was plain in evidence last evening that until a larger number of both well-wishers and active supporters of the safe roads movement can be gathered together in conference, little real progress toward an elaborate observance of "Safety Week" in May, as proposed, can be made.

Lewis E. MacBrayne, general manager of the Massachusetts Safety council, with which is affiliated the Safe Roads Federation, local safety councils and co-operative women's organizations, with headquarters at No. 5 Beacon Street, Boston, presided at last night's meeting, eager to explain the latest programs of leading sponsors of the safer roads movement, but plainly disappointed at the apparent lack of support as exhibited by last night's small attendance of Lowell citizens.

Secretary-Manager C. V. Wells of the chamber of commerce, who had given a great deal of his time and energy to enlisted representatives Lowell citizens and various social, civic, business and charitable organizations in the program for real co-operation in the plans formulated for a safety week campaign in Lowell, opened the meeting.

He explained the vital purposes of the call and reviewed the efforts that have been made to arouse public interest in a substantial campaign that would put Lowell on a plane with other large New England cities and towns. Extraordinary good work has been done outside of Lowell in preserving human life by not only regulating traffic, but keeping the public better informed of the dangerous hazards that are to be met with today on all traffic highways where automobiles are operated.

Among the few but earnest believers in a vigorous safe roads campaign in Lowell, provided such a campaign shall first receive solid support from representatives of every walk of life, and who were present last evening to participate in the rally, were Chief Edward F. Saunders, of the Lowell Fire Department; Chief Thomas R. Atkinson, of the police department; Major Walter R. Joyce, of the Lowell Boys' Club; Councillors Maurice Lambert and John W. Daly, and Manager C. J. Leathers of the N. E. T. & T. Co.

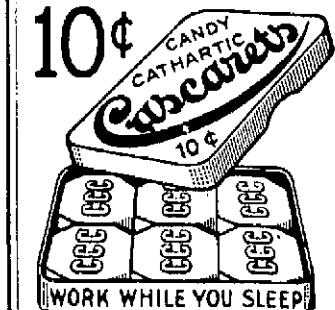
The speakers' list contained the name of Ralph A. Hight of Somerville, who has driven an automobile for several automobiles, more than 600,000 miles during the last 20 years and without a breath of an accident, which appears to be a record.

By a curious whim of fate, another anticipated speaker lost out on his intended trip from Boston to Lowell and he was compelled to send regrets via MacBrayne.

It appears that Gen. Alfred E. Poore essayed to pilot his motor car late yesterday afternoon through Boston town in the March storm aftermath, but met with disaster when he collided with another street vehicle, damaging his car so badly that it had to be

## IF CONSTIPATED SICK, BILIOUS

Harmless Laxative for the Liver and Bowels



Real fine! No griping or inconvenience follows a gentle liver and bowel cleansing with "Cascarets" Sick Headache, Biliousness, Gas, Indigestion, and all such distress gone by morning. For Men, Women and Children—10¢ boxes, also 20 and 40¢ sizes any drug store.—Adv.

towed back to the Hub, thus canceling the general's Lowell trip for the time being. He is to come to Lowell and address the next meeting of the Lowell Safety Week committee, however, if another meeting is held, then Poore is state commissioner of public safety and had an interesting message to deliver in Lowell last evening.

Mr. MacBrayne, opening the public meeting in Liberty Hall, confessed that he had hoped to see more Lowell citizens present but realized that weather conditions were quite abominable and such reasons for absences were quite acceptable. The safety council manager described the lecture course that are now being given under council auspices in various cities, such as Boston, Franklin, Salem and Milton. A motor vehicle drivers' course is also being extended to many chauffeurs and would-be chauffeurs under the joint auspices of the Safe Roads Federation and the Boston Y.M.C.A.

The counsel representative declared that he sincerely hoped last night's meeting was not an indication that the local safety week committee plans will not be carried out. He advised, nevertheless, that no formal plans for a city-wide campaign be attempted until complete co-operation of all interested citizens can be definitely secured.

Secretary-Manager Wells, who spoke briefly after Mr. MacBrayne had presented startling statistics covering both fatal and serious-injury accidents on Massachusetts highway in past months, approved of the MacBrayne suggestion—that no formal action for the coming proposed "Safety Week" campaign be instituted until a meeting has been held with larger attendance in order that the views of those not present last evening may be secured and weighed in the formulative analysis.

Mr. Hight told the story of the birth of the automobile, compared modern's motor vehicle with the curious models of 20 years ago and traced their expansion in the development of more ingenious machinery and power equipment. Speaking of the early days in automobile history, Mr. Hight continued:

"Accidents twenty years ago were practically unknown because the cars could not be driven fast. The roads were also poor, and the nervousness of the auto put the fear of the car into both children and adults. The cars of that period were so complicated that the operator could do nothing else but keep his attention upon the car and the road. Today the thousands of motor cars upon our highways are a part of our daily life.

"The driver of today is too confident. He seems to feel that his responsibility ends when he passes the state examiner. The law says, for example, that at an intersection the car on the right has the right of way. How many times have you seen cars racing to beat the other fellow to this point of intersection?"

"How many times have you blown your horn at the crossing without lowering your speed, expecting that the other fellow would stop? How many of us, right here tonight, in approaching a railroad crossing, take a chance because the motor cars in front of us have gotten off all right?"

"I have driven motor cars nearly 600,000 miles in the past 20 years. I have seen a large number of accidents and have traced many of them to their source. I honestly believe that the greater number were avoidable."

Major Joyce, of the Boys' Club, assigned to present his ideas on "Safety Week" prospects, said he had always been in favor of a well-organized campaign in Lowell was supporting it to the best of his ability and knew that the Lowell Rotary Club was also strongly backing the movement. As a member of Rotary, he said he would do all he could to secure a good working organization to promote safe roads in Lowell and vicinity, and he believed in making this statement that he was voicing the sentiment of individual Rotarians, although he did not want to appear as officially representing Rotary last evening in the capacity of message-bearer to that effect.

Mr. Joyce said he was deeply interested in the campaign to boost the Safety Week program in Lowell, because of his love for little children. He is today in charge of joyous club quarters where sometimes as many as 1,200 boys rally in healthy, vigorous, clean play, and his heart beats for them, he added, when they go forth after playroom hours to scamper to their homes through the city thoroughfares often crowded with automobiles moving in every direction.

Police Chief Atkinson said he approved wholeheartedly of Safety Week plans, but believed that solid support must be given to the present movement before it can possibly succeed.

The chief and Mr. MacBrayne had a good-natured tilt over the Lowell automobile accident averages taken from yearly safety council summaries where human beings have been killed or injured. The safe roads committee has placed Lowell in seventh place in 1923 as a city where auto casualties have increased. In 1922, Lowell had the honor of leading all cities with a lowest casualty record.

Chief Atkinson disputed the statement that Lowell's casualties had increased last year, and Mr. MacBrayne explained that the summaries were possibly not up-to-date. Dr. Harry B. Plunkett, Manager C. J. Leathers and Arnold Ryan spoke briefly.

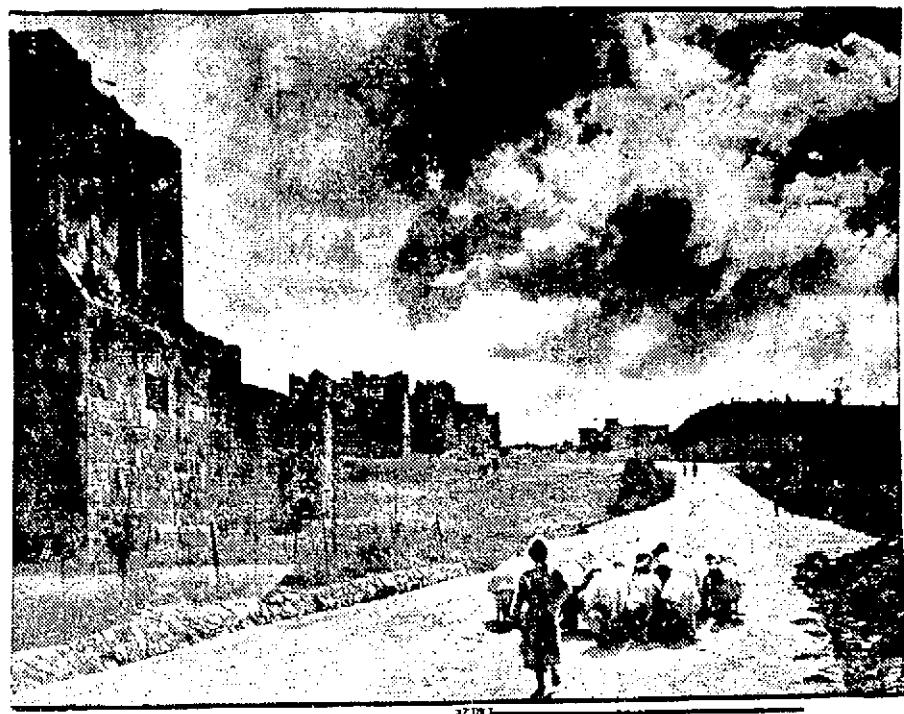
It was decided not to set a definite date last night for another meeting in the interests of a Safety Week in Lowell in May until the sentiment of various representatives of leading Lowell business and other organizations can definitely be secured. Further activities will be held in accordance for the present until the newly-organized Lowell Safety Week committee announces its plans.

### Alkali in Shampoos Bad For Washing Hair

Many soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much free alkali, which is very injurious to the hair follicle. The best time to use is unguessed coconut oil shampoo, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It is inexpensive and beats anything else to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

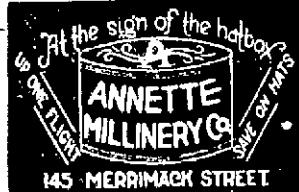
Two or the soaps in all that is required should lather your hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which cleanse thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly, evenly, and is soft, free from matting, brittle, or broken, and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dampness.—Adv.

## LENT IN THE HOLY LAND



North Wall of Jerusalem and the road some archaeologists declare Jesus traversed on his way to crucifixion. The little hill to the right is said by these historians to be the actual scene of Christ's death, as they point out that it was here that public executions were held in the days of Pilate.

### OPPOSITE POLLARD'S



### Over McEvoy's Optical Store



### The Greatest Millinery Sale Ever Held in Lowell Will Begin Friday, March 14th at 9 A. M.

Alterations in our Warren, R. I., store cannot be completed in time for the Spring opening. With HUNDREDS AND HUNDREDS OF CHOICEST SPRING HATS RE-SHIPPED TO OUR LOWELL STORE FOR DISPOSAL, together with our own large stock of new arrivals, we are actually swamped. We are going to sacrifice these up-to-the-minute hats at less than cost of material.

\$2.00 Untrimmed HATS	\$4.00 TRIMMED HATS	\$5.00 TRIMMED HATS	\$8 and \$10 TRIMMED HATS
95c	\$1.89	\$2.69	\$4.69

The First Twenty-Five Purchases of Five Dollars or More Will Be Given \$2.00  
Untrimmed Hats Free.

15c Hat Linings	5c	1000 Yards of Moisture-Proof Maline, all colors; regular 50¢ value. Sale price	27c
50c Flowers	25c	"BOBBED HAIR" HATS	
\$1.00 Appliques	49c	\$4.89	
15c West Hair Nets	5c		
75c Flowers	35c		

We cannot begin to tell you of the many beautiful styles—the large assortment of materials—and the elaborate trimmings. It will be WORTH YOUR WHILE TO TRAVEL MILES to see these wonderful creations and besides, THE SAVINGS WILL BE ENORMOUS.

### You Can Do It Better With Gas

## Gas Light Weathers All Kinds of Storms

In winter and summer, spring and fall, regardless of weather conditions, gas is always ready for instant use.

The winds may blow, storms may rage, it may be freezing temperature, or it may be sultry summer weather, but no matter what the conditions are, you can always depend upon the supply of gas.

In the store, the X-radio light makes the interior cheerful and comfortable. Its equal diffusion is indeed restful to the eyes, which are most always overworked in these days of twentieth century progress.

In the factory, the same condition holds good where employees are confined for many hours a day.

In the home, the housewife, more than anyone else, appreciates the soft glow of a reflex light in the kitchen.

Gas may rightfully be called the liver-ready source of light and heat.

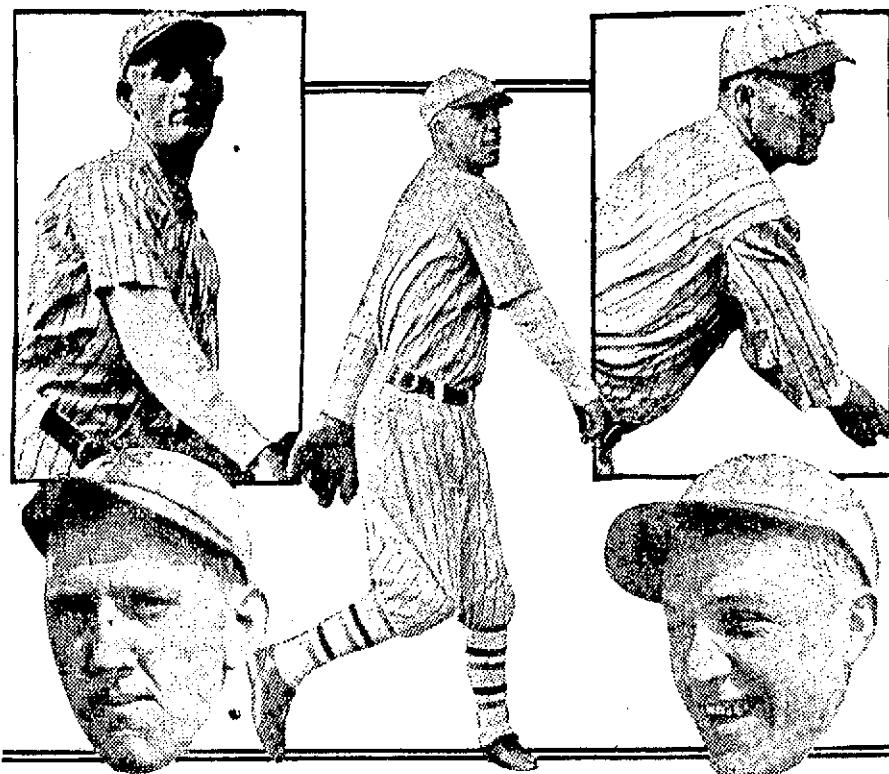
And we are ever ready for a storm of orders.

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### You Can Do It Better With Gas



## Hope of New York Giants to Win Fourth Consecutive Pennant Depends on Bushers



LEFT TO RIGHT, UPPER: ERNEST MAUN, HOMER BALDWIN, EARL WEBB, LOWER: JOE BRADSHAW, DAVE THOMPSON.

BY N.E.A. SERVICE  
SARASOTA, Fla., March 13.—The hope of the New York Giants to win a fourth consecutive pennant is being taken in Ernest Maun, a bushy right-hander who was the sensation of the pitchers' Manager McGraw has bought from the minors. They are now showing their stuff before the critical eye of the famous manager.

McGraw has started an intensive examination which he hopes will develop two or his six "bushies" into regulars in the major leagues. In the contest if the crop of rookie pitchers produce one twirler capable of holding

his own in the majors, McGraw is hoping for two of the recruits to come through.

Interest at present is being taken in Ernest Maun, a bushy right-hander who was the sensation of the Western League last year.

Pitching for Wichita, Kas., that team finishing third in the race, Maun led the league with 26 victories and 11 defeats.

Howard Baldwin, who starred last season with the Newark club of the International League, is another bright prospect.

Working for a near neighbor, New-

ark finished seventh with an average of .373, only six points out of his place. Baldwin was one of the most effective pitchers in the league. He won 21 and lost 14 games. Baldwin is a right-hander.

Joe Bradshaw, with Toledo, a bad

pitcher in the American Association,

nearly broke even in the matter of vic-

tories and defeats. Roger Bresnahan,

former owner of the Toledo club, now

with the Giants as coach, predicts big

things for Bradshaw.

Working out, Earl Webb and Dave

Thompson are well liked by McGraw.

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### COMPANY D TO BE REORGANIZED

Information has been received at the local army recruiting station to the effect that Company D, First Engineers, one of the crack army units, is to be reorganized May 15 at Camp Devens. Under the reorganization plan commissioned officers will be selected from men now on duty at Fort Dupont, Delaware, and 72 recruits will be inducted.

The engineers, says Sergt. Kimball, local recruiting officer, offer many opportunities for enlisted men to get special ratings and I shall be glad to receive inquiries concerning qualifications for enlistment in this company from Lowell boys.

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Count Salm will represent Austria in the Olympic tennis events. If this will be of any interest to his creditors.

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### MANAGER NEAR DEATH IN VAULT OF BANK

CLEVELAND, March 13.—Imprisoned in an air-tight vault by two armed bandits, Clayton Webb, manager of the City Savings and Loan company branch office in East Cleveland, was carried out unconscious yesterday afternoon after 45 minutes in which he lay death by suffocation. From the vault and cash drawer in his case the bandits took approximately \$4000 and escaped. They overlooked another \$3000 in the vault. Webb was quickly revived.

Before officials from the main office reached the branch bank and rescued Webb, East Cleveland police worked for 30 minutes in an effort to rescue him, after Webb had shouted the numbers of the vault's combination through the steel and concrete walls.

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## REEDMAN FLAYS G. O. P. COTTON RECEIPTS IN FURTHER DECLINE

Says Maine Suffering From "Statism" Because of Long Rule of Republicans

LEWISTON, Me., March 12.—Maine was described as suffering from "statism" in stock still condition due to long continued rule of the republican party in an address delivered by Elton J. Redman, state chairman of the democratic state convention here today. He said the industrial development of the state was retarded by the absence of a comprehensive water power policy. The state itself, he urged, should not engage in the business of water-power development but should adopt a general policy of encouraging such development by private initiative and enterprise.

The republican party in the nation, he asserted, can never escape the responsibility for exerting the unaccountable all forces for the scandals that have arisen in the departments at Washington. It is hard to visualize the extent into which the present administration has fallen when the president of the United States is obliged to go outside his own department of justice and obtain independent counsel to prosecute the oil cases and at the same time retains as the head of that department a colleague who was not interested with such prosecution. The president can, however, trust and has endorsed the attorney general to be a member of the oil delegation to help nominate the president at the republican national convention.

## LOWELL MAN SENTENCED IN LIQUOR CASE

In Superior Court at East Cambridge before Judge McQuillan yesterday, John Wagner, 40, of Church street, this city, was sentenced to three months in the house of correction when he was found guilty of illegally keeping liquor. In district court here, he appealed a sentence of the same duration and a fine of \$150. A charge of operating an automobile without a license, for which he was fined \$25, was placed on file.

George Ward of Charles street was also called on an old charge of illegal keeping, and was sentenced until next term.

**EXILED CALIPH TO LIVE IN SWITZERLAND**

BERNE, March 12.—Although the Swiss government has not yet made a definite decision regarding Abdol Medjid, the exiled Caliph, it is considered certain he will be allowed to live in Switzerland on condition that he refrains from political or religious propaganda. A repetition of anything like his appeal to Moslems for an Islamic congress for instance, would be objectionable to the government.

**PAYS "DEBT OF GRATITUDE" TO U. S.**

LANCASTER, O., March 12.—A view made by Wesley Jordan, 75, a farmer, who died recently, that he would pay his "debt of gratitude" to the government for liberating and happiness under the Stars and Stripes will be fulfilled.

Jordan's will provides that his property be converted into cash and all over his burial expenses be turned over to the treasurer of the United States.

The estate is valued at \$16,000.

### INQUIRY ORDERED

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Inquiry by a subcommittee of the into the administration of the bureau of internal revenue was ordered today by the senate.

### HONDURAS WITHOUT GOVERNMENT

WASHINGTON, March 12.—The death of former President Gutiérrez and the consequent increased activities of revolutionary factions have left Honduras for the time being without any government whatever. Members of the diplomatic corps succeeded in bringing about a 71-hour armistice which began at 5 p.m. last Monday between the revolutionary leaders.

### EVERETT TRUE



## WE CAN'T GET VERY EXCITED ABOUT THIS



This picture doesn't prove a blooming thing except that the camera man wanted a picture of Hugh McQuillan of the New York Giants, trading headpieces with one of the Florida natives. We ought to build some sort of legend around the incident, telling how the native is a great follower of big league ball players and yearned for the sensation that comes with wearing a star's cap, but we aren't going to do it. We are one of those truthful sort of reporters, anyway.



## GIVE "CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP"

Dependable Laxative for Sick Baby or Child—Harmless!

Hurry Mother! Even a bilious, constipated, feverish child loves the pleasant taste of "California Fig Syrup" and it never fails to open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You may just say "California" or you may get an invitation to syrup—Adv.

## COMMON SENSE

When a merchant advertises his wares in a newspaper, he does not appeal to the paper, but to its readers. He solicits the patronage of those readers whether he agrees with the policy of the paper or not.

To refrain from advertising in a paper of wide circulation simply because he does not agree with the editor on all public questions, is not using common sense. It is a form of business suicide. It has sent many short-sighted business men into bankruptcy. A dealer might as well put a sign over his store notifying all who do not think as he does that he does not want their patronage. Readers of newspaper advertisements know when and where their patronage is welcome.



## TWO PERISH IN FIRE WITH THE LEGISLATORS

Mrs. Keefe Burned to Death  
and Her Son Andrew Suffocated in Malden Home

MALDEN, March 13.—Mrs. Nellie M. Keefe was burned to death and her son, Andrew L. Keefe, was suffocated in a fire which started in the cellar of their home here today and badly damaged the house. Mrs. Keefe was trapped on a stairway, while trying to reach the front door and her son was overcome in a bedroom.

Another son escaped by jumping from an upper window into the snow. Mrs. Keefe's husband, Lawrence Keefe, employed as a night watchman, had not returned home when the fire started. Andrew Keefe was well known locally as a Twilight League baseball player.

HOPE ADDRESS WILL BE  
HEARD AROUND WORLD

NEW YORK, March 13.—Nine powerful radio stations in Great Britain, each using a different wave length, will begin broadcasting at 6 o'clock tonight, to air standard time an address by William Marconi, which it is hoped, will be heard around the world. Arrangements have been made with listeners with special receiving sets in California and Shanghai, China, to cable at once, if it is announced, if they are successful, it will mean that radio has covered the world.

Fight to Annul Oil Leases  
Continued

Sentinel Sinclair, who negotiated the Tea Pot Dome lease on behalf of the Mammoth Oil Co., has refused to make known the defense they will make to the government's plea for a temporary injunction and receivership, although Sinclair has announced that the suit for annulment of the lease would be fought to the end.

**Government Files Suit**  
CHIENNEE, Wyo., March 13.—Challenging fraud, conspiracy and illegality, the government filed its suit today to cancel the Tea Pot Dome lease and contracts.

The government's special counsel petitioned the United States district court to do three specific things: 1, issue a temporary injunction stopping all production; 2, appoint a receiver to take charge of the properties; 3, enter a final decree canceling the leases and contracts, returning the properties to the government and entering an accounting.

**Ex-Sen. Fall Accused**  
Former Secretary Fall was charged with making "false representations" to the late President Harding which resulted in the transfer of the lands from the navy to the interior department. The government denies that there was any warrant of law for leaving the lands at all.

The full further alleges that Fall and Harry F. Sinclair, the latter acting for the Mammoth Oil Co., "did combine, conspire and confederate to defraud the United States."

The result of these allegations, the government's bill recites, was to lease the Tea Pot Dome lands to the Mammoth Oil Co. "at an inadequate, improper and fraudulent consideration."

Former Secretary Fall's bill, in connection with the transaction, is described as having "no discretion" and his signature is characterized "as merely a colorable attempt to evidence the compliance by him in its terms."

The Sinclair Crude Oil Purchasing Co. and the Sinclair Pipe Line Co., operating storage facilities on Tea Pot Dome, were made parties to the suit as "trespassers" to be ejected, their properties to be taken over by the receiver.

Prepared by former Senator Pennington and Owen J. Roberts, special counsel for the government, the bill goes over much of the ground covered in the senate investigation.

**Handling Acted Without Authority**  
It recites that former President Harding was without authority to transfer the lands, but did so on "false representation from Fall," who desired to deal with the lands "not in the interest of the United States but to the advantage, profit and benefit of the Mammoth Oil Co. and its partner, Harry F. Sinclair."

Both the bill charges, knew at the time that the whole transaction was illegal.

Evidence of the alleged conspiracy, the government's bill charges, is found in the fact that the agreements were made in secret by private negotiation, "without advertisement or communication to the public," and that those who hinders were discouraged from holding and denied the opportunity to Fall. The Texas company, the Sinclair Oil Co., Edward L. Folger and Lee A. Folger, the oil kings, were among those so advised.

At the same time, the government charges, Fall steadfastly refused to take the opinion of any officer of the government on the legality of the transaction.

Then the bill charges, Fall by "secret arrangement" arranged for Sinclair to acquire such oil fields that the Texaco Oil Co. will not be able to supply competition.

At the same time, it is reported, Fall agreed with John C. Shuster, the newspaper publisher, to see that Sinclair set apart certain of the leased lands "for the benefit of the said Shuster." By the acts heretofore committed and other acts, the government's bill concludes, "Albert B. Fall and Harry F. Sinclair did fraudulently and connivously combine, confederate and conspire to defraud the United States of America and the result of their alleged acts was to get the Tea Pot lands leased to the Mammoth Oil Co. at an inadequate, improper and fraudulent consideration."

**Manufacturer Drops Dead**  
NEW YORK, March 13.—John P. Alford, prominent manufacturer, died suddenly at his home today.

International money orders, payable in almost any part of the world, may be obtained at all of the larger post offices and at many of the smaller ones.

Passage of Concord River  
Bill Predicted—Fight on  
Annexation Bill

Consideration of Bills for  
New Courthouse May Be  
Taken Up Tomorrow

STATE HOUSE, Boston, March 13.—The early passage of the bill introduced by Rep. Owen Brennen of Lowell for the investigation of the Concord river sewage and manufacturing waste nuisance is predicted. The bill, reported favorably by the ways and means and public health committees, carries an appropriation of \$3,000 for an investigation and calls for recommendations as to the means of ending the nuisance. The Lowell legislators are lined up solidly in favor of the bill and little difficulty is expected.

The committee on cities and towns is expected momentarily to report adversely on the Achim annexation bill. This report will mark the beginning of a fight in the house. The Lowell legislators, who fight for substantiation of report and every indication points to a fair chance for victory. The courthouse bill in committee may be brought to the floor of day tomorrow. The county commissioners' bill and Conforti bill have both been thoroughly discussed and it would not be surprising to see a new committee bill passed out.

The bill to license real estate brokers, introduced on which is a public hearing was held Monday, is expected to meet with favor. It is understood minor changes will be made in the revised bill before it is reported, however. The bill of Representative Slawey of Lowell, providing for pensions for charwoman in the employ of the city, is in a doubtful status. An attempt to extend the same to some of the other pension bills in the pension section and the pension bills in the special commission on old age pensions which is to report in 1925.

Senator Harris took the initiative in the movement yesterday on a House bill which would increase certain non-contributory pensions. Later in the day the Senate referred to its next annual session all the old-age pension bills, except this year. The Chamber pension bill, introduced on March 11 to 15 years, was referred to committee in the Senate yesterday. The Senate postponed action until next Tuesday on all measures relating to jury service. A motion to substitute for the adverse report of the judiciary committee on the bill for compulsory jury service for women will be made at that time.

The election laws committee has rejected the bill of Mayor Curley of Boston to have polls all over the state open for twelve full hours from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. The bill had been voted to report a bill authorizing election officers to permit voting at 3 a.m. in their discretion. The committee on local affairs has voted against the so-called anti-bribery bill which provides criminal immunity for the confessed bribe-giver or bribe-taker who implicates others.

The house debated an hour yesterday without reaching a vote on the bill to extend the pension compensation law to provide that pensions shall date from day of injury when incapacity lasts 28 days or longer.

Leaders in the medical profession were before the public health committee yesterday urging favorable report on the Painter bill, which proposes a reorganization in the present state board of registration in medicine.

Dr. Samuel H. Caldwell, chairman of the board, opposed the bill and said it was an attack on the board.

## NEW IMMIGRATION BILL

Ex-Sen. Phelan Says Efforts to Deal With Japanese Immigration Have Failed

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Efforts to deal adequately with Japanese immigration have failed, former Senator Phelan of California today told the Senate immigration committee, because of the "subversive character of American diplomacy," "negotiated by men mostly in decline with Japan."

Appearing as spokesman for a California delegation at the committee's hearing on the Japanese immigration bill, Mr. Phelan declared that to give the Japanese the same recognition as is accorded Europeans under the quota provisions "would be to discriminate" not against them but in favor of them as against the Chinese, the Hindus, the Shoshone and other proud and cultured people."

Citing that the federal government law for 130 years has drawn a distinction between those that are eligible to citizenship and those that are ineligible, he asserted that since "acceptance of the Japanese's agreement in 1907, Asian Japanese women have been born with Japanese passports and alienated lands."

"They are practice," he noted, "and serve both as wives and laborers in the field. The Chinese and in a few years the Pacific coast will be 'Hawaiianized' as is Hawaii."

**REPORT KENYON TURNS DOWN CABINET POST**

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Judge William H. Kenyon of Iowa conferred with President Coolidge again today regarding the president's tender to him of the post of secretary of the navy, and all outward indications were that he declined to accept. Neither he nor White House officials would make any immediate statement but an announcement was promised before

## TO PERFECT PLANS FOR "IRISH NIGHT"

The committee in charge of the "trash night" to be held in Liberty Hall and the main auditorium on next Monday night will meet in YMCA hall at 8 o'clock this evening for the purpose of perfecting arrangements for the big event. A night of rare enjoyment is promised to young and old. Tickets are now on sale in various stores throughout the city. See also on Page 8.

## OUR BOARDING HOUSE



## U. S. MARINES USED TO TEA POT DOME OF TRESPASSERS

after a conference with Secretary Fall, to command the detail sent to Tea Pot.

Four enlisted men were selected to accompany Shuler, who now is director of New York state.

Roosevelt had ordered that men of "rank and discretion" be chosen. General Lejeune said, so as to avoid trouble.

Shuler telegraphed on Aug. 4 that his mission had been accomplished.

Later Fall wrote the navy commandant Shuler for his work.

Asked whether he did not regard this as an extraordinary use of the Marine Corps, the general said he did not consider that point at all. He simply obeyed orders.

Assistant Secretary Roosevelt testified that the request for the clearing of Tea Pot Dome came from Fall, who was quoted as saying he and the president wanted the "squatters" ejected as they were about to take out oil on which the government would get no royalty.

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In selecting a marine officer for the duty, Col. Roosevelt declared, he had "struggled" to get some man who would not do "anything rash, get into a fight or shoot anybody."

**AN AWFUL MESS!**

Senator Walsh read into the record a letter sent to George B. Christian Jr., secretary to the president, by H. B. Tammen, of the Denver Post under date of Aug. 1, 1923, characterizing the situation in Tea Pot Dome as "an awful mess."

**APPROVED BY HARDING**

Tammen called Christian's attention to an article in the Post on the operation of the Mutual Oil Co. from Tea Pot. Christian transcribed the letter to Fall with a request for material on which to base an answer, and Fall responded with a history of the naval reserves, and a discussion of a legal controversy raised as to titles upon

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Fair, not much change in temperature tonight and Friday; north to northwest winds.

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# Receivers for Tea Pot Dome Named

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# Daugherty's Brother to Be Questioned

### U. S. MARINES USED TO CLEAR TEA POT DOME OF TRESPASSERS

Order for Marine Expedition to Oil Reserve After it Had Been Leased to Sinclair Issued by Roosevelt at Request of Fall

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Turning the president said that unless James G. Darden of the Mutual Oil Co., withdrew from Tea Pot, he should be after it had been leased to Harry F. Sinclair, the oil committee was told today that the order for the marine expedition had been issued at the request of Albert B. Fall.

Theodore Roosevelt, who as acting secretary of the navy, signed the order, Fall had told him President Harding desired that course pursued.

Later, a letter on the subject from Jeannine said and George K. Shuler, then a captain of marines, was selected, 1922, was put into the record. In it

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### TURKISH NATIONAL ASSEMBLY TO WESTERNIZE THE COUNTRY

Lawmakers Consider Plan to Abolish Turkish Alphabet for Latin Letters—Move to Discard Ancient Fez for Derby—Turkish Women Urge Abolition of Harem

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 13. (UPI)—Now that the caliphate has been abolished, the Turkish national assembly is turning its attention to other reforms, with a view to westernizing Turkey.

The law makers have under consideration a plan to abolish the Turkish alphabet for Latin letters, and one Constantinople newspaper has begun to appear in French.

Among suggested measures are suppression of the Greek and Armenian patriarchates and the Jewish rabbinate, and abolition of religious teaching in the American and other foreign schools in Turkey.

Some of the legislators insist upon closing the private Greek, Armenian, Jewish and other foreign schools altogether. Others are urging the as-

sembly to discard the ancient fez as the national head dress and substitute the derby.

Turkish women are petitioning the assembly to adopt a new code of laws respecting their rights. These would embrace abolition of polygamy and the ban on suppression of the schools, limitation of divorce and the attainment of majority at 17, instead of 14.

Other provisions demanded are that both parties be required to present health certificates before marriage and that divorce cases be decided according to the American standards and only before judicial tribunals.

Mme. Kemal Fusha, the president's wife, who was educated in England, and Hulide Edib, a graduate of the American Girls' college here, are leading their sisters in the battle for these reforms.

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WAS GIVING THE HENS AN AIRING

Somebody's hen coop was robbed last night of two hens. The robbery hasn't been reported yet, but the police have the culprit and hens in custody at the Market street station house. Officer Lee found Walter Konchanek out for a walk at 1:20 o'clock this morning with two hens tucked under his coat for company.

Konchanek pleaded guilty to larceny when arraigned before Judge Enright in district court this morning. He said he doesn't know where the hen coop is located where he collected his feathered friends. The case was continued today on the chance that the hen owner may show up some time today at the station house and give evidence sufficient to warrant the additional charge of breaking and entering in the night time.

To date only eight candidates have taken out papers at the local office seven democrats and one republican.

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COUNCIL WILL TACKLE BUDGET TONIGHT

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Although the meeting is especially called for budget consideration, other business may come up, including some discussion of the salary ordinance now held in abeyance through notice of reconsideration filed at the last meeting by Councilor Coughney. It may be, however, that this reconsideration will not be taken up until the next regular meeting, which will come next Tuesday night, the 18th.

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS

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### Woman Who Told Amazing Story at Daugherty Probe Yesterday Again Star Witness

#### CALL MORTIMER AS WITNESS

Grand jury Proceedings in Case of Congressmen Mentioned in Chicago Report

Sessions Open in Washington—Central Figure in Veterans' Bureau Case Called

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Grand jury proceedings were begun here today in the case of the two members of congress referred to in a recent Chicago grand jury report as having improperly accepted money.

Assistant Attorney General Davis, with Daugherty, and Segur, appeared, aided by J. W. H. Grim, special assistant in charge of the case, in preparation of the evidence.

One of the witnesses called was Edward B. Mortimer, who was a central figure in the veterans' bureau investigation here some months ago and who also appeared before the Chicago grand jury.

Mrs. Willebrandt, one of the assist-

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#### \$786,441.68 IN UNPAID TAXES FOR 1923

There remain outstanding today in unpaid 1923 taxes, including real, personal and poll, \$786,441.68 out of a total of more than four million. Taxes still unpaid are drawing interest for the city at the rate of 5 per cent and will continue to do so until the tax sale some time in June.

So far this month taxes have been received to the amount of \$29,527.53, considered fairly good for this time of year, and it is believed that by April the outstanding total will not be much in excess of \$700,000.

Senator Ashurst declared that "the defense might as well leave now" that he was not "running the committee" and said he had no forgotten an "unjust delayed last night here" by Howland.

The senator added that Mr. Howland was "not going to run any blu-

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PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY NOMINATION PAPERS

The board of election commissioners again calls attention to the fact that March 21 at 5 p.m. is the last day and hour for filing presidential primary nomination papers, with the commission at its offices at city hall. Between that day and the 26th certification of signatures must be made and all papers forwarded to the office of the secretary of the commonwealth.

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#### NOTICE

Mathew Musical Troupe

REHEARSAL TONIGHT

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8 O'CLOCK

#### SEEK EVIDENCE ON LIQUOR CASES

Senators Move to Establish New Lines of Inquiry in Daugherty Investigation

Divorced Wife of Harry Daugherty's Chum, Who Killed Himself, on Stand

EDWARD B. MCLEAN AND MAL DAUGHERTY, BROTHER OF ATTORNEY GENERAL TO BE CALLED

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Miss Mrs. Willebrandt, divorced wife of Harry Daugherty, John Price, former attorney general of Ohio; James W. Holcomb and Henry T. Bills of Cleveland; Samuel Ungerleider, Mrs. E. A. Hayes and E. H. More of Cleveland, also were subpoenaed today by the oil committee.

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#### SUBPOENAS FOR G. O. P. LEADERS

To Be Questioned in Connection With Story Told by Leonard Wood, Jr.

Charged Attempted Oil Deal at Republican National Convention in 1920

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Rudolph Hyman, republican national committeeman from Ohio, was subpoenaed today by the oil committee.

Subpoena also went out for Harry Mackenzie, attached to President Coolidge's Chicago campaign headquarters, and for Philip Gilmore, deputy secretary of state of Ohio.

Hyman, Mackenzie and Gilmore are to be questioned in connection with the story of Leonard Wood, Jr., about an attempted oil deal at the Republican national convention in 1920.

Norman H. Gould of New York, Charles H. Gaetz of Columbus, Ohio, also were subpoenaed.

Gould and Gaetz also will be questioned regarding the Wood story.

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### INJUNCTION HALTS WORK ON TEA POT DOME OIL RESERVE

Judge Kennedy Grants Temporary Restraining Order—Names Receivers for Property Pending Final Outcome of Litigation

CHIENNE, Wyo., March 13. (UPI)—Federal Judge Kennedy today granted a temporary injunction halting further development by the Mammoth oil Co. on the Tea Pot Dome oil reserve.

Judge Kennedy named Rear Admiral Joseph Straus of the United States navy and A. E. Watts, vice president of the Sinclair Consolidated Oil corporation, as joint receivers for the Tea Pot Dome property pending the final outcome of the litigation.

Owen J. Roberts, arguing the case for the government, asked that Judge Kennedy issue an order granting an injunction restraining the defendants from any further drilling operations on the Tea Pot Dome reserve.

The order would also appoint a receiver to take charge of operations on Tea Pot Dome and direct him to continue operations only so far as he should deem necessary.

Appointment of Rear Admiral Joseph Straus of the United States navy as receiver of the Tea Pot Dome oil properties was requested of Federal Judge Kennedy by Owen J. Roberts, special United States counsel, today.

AFFIDAVIT FILED

CHIENNE, Wyo., March 13 (UPI)—Affidavits were filed by Atlee Pomeroy and Owen J. Roberts, government counsel, in support of the government's bill in equity seeking annulment of the lease and asking a temporary injunction and receivership.

The proceedings to be followed by the defense remained a puzzle as the hour set for the preliminary hearing approached. Attorneys repre-



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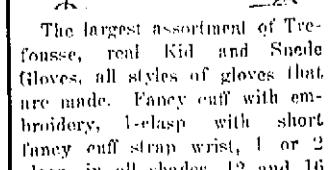
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## ATTACKS SEN. LODGE

Worse Than Kaiser, Says

Sen. Caraway—Also Raps

Coolidge at Lewiston

LEWISTON Me., March 13.—Natural resources have been bartered away and the national security endangered by the sale of the last drop of the nation's reserve fuel, Senator Caraway of Arkansas told the democratic state convention here yesterday. The senator was bitter in his attack upon Attorney-General Daugherty, Senator Lodge and President Coolidge.

He declared that the poor old senator had been much enraged and abused, but that in a campaign for the one most deserving of a cussing the Massachusetts senator would win first place. Senator Lodge, he said, was not a political anarchist, but a politician and recited how when a suggestion was made in the Senate that Secretary Daugherty resign, Lodge raced down the aisle of the chamber waving his hands and crying: "This is Lynch law; you are lynching Daugherty."

"And then that night," said the senator, "he went down to the White House and tried to lynch Daugherty by urging the president to ask for his resignation."

Senator Caraway said that the rank and file of the republican party were honest as were those of the democratic party, but that the time had come when they must choose between the ideals of the republican party and the organization in control of it. If they chose the ideals they must leave the party.

He blamed President Coolidge for his attitude in the oil scandal and declared that he should have got rid of Daugherty and Daugherty in short order. He charged that at the time President Coolidge selected Bascom Stump to be his private secretary, Stump was selling post offices in Virginia to the highest bidder and declared that he had in his possession letters written by Stump to a man in a town where a republican in whom he (Stump) said he didn't care which had it, that it was to go to the one who would pay the money.

In his own state of Arkansas he said the post offices were being sold by the republican state committeeman for from \$50 to \$200 each.

The expected fight in the convention over the Ku Klux Klan did not materialize. Those who favored the plank unanimously said all they had to say at the Tuesday night gathering, so were contented with a plank returned by the committee which declared against government by any math-bound secret organization, against the use of public funds for religious schools; for the separation of state and church and for liberty in religious worship.

The platform adopted declared for the enforcement of law instead of for the repeal of the state prohibitory law.

## Seek Evidence on Liquor Cases

Continued

Committee's inquiry into the attorney general's administration.

Miss Stinson, divorced wife of Jesse W. Smith of Washington Courthouse, O., confidant and "bumpkin friend" of Mr. Daugherty, was brought here by Senator Wheeler, democrat, Montana, "prosecutor" of the inquiry, after a secret trip to Cleveland, to question her, and the opening of her story was packed with amazing insinuation, inferences and charges. She said she came to defend her former husband, who gave his life for Henry Daugherty.

Sobbing whenever her narrative brought before her the memory of her former husband's suicide a year ago, in Daugherty's apartments here, she gave the committee a breath-taking tale of relations between the two men. Smith's wealth, when he came to Washington in 1921 to be with the attorney general, she said amounted to approximately \$175,000, but had increased at the time of his death to \$250,000.

She testified that her former husband had called on her for aid in a number of transactions and had told her of other "deals" from all of which she insisted, he and Daugherty were to profit. The attorney general's name, she said, was not specifically mentioned, but she asserted that whenever

Smith had said "we" he meant Daugherty and himself, and she frequently used "they" in reference to the same two men.

## 160,000 Clean-up on Pictures

Smith at one time, she testified, told her that "we" expected about \$100,000 in profits if exhibition of motion pictures of the Carpenter-Dempsey fight could be arranged, and on another oc-

HUN L. (COLORADO) PATTON  
United States Marshal at Cheyenne

asion, she said, her former husband submitted to her for sale 25 shares of White Motors stock, telling her "these had obtained it without cost." Smith, she added, also had come into possession of a number of shares of the Pure Oil Co. of Oslo. She was on the point of speaking about "a mysterious green house on K street" when she was removed from further testimony until today.

Several clashes between Senator Wheeler and Paul Howland, chief of Mr. Daugherty's personal counsel, marked the opening session. An attempt by Mr. Howland to intervene in the examination of Miss Stinson brought Senator Wheeler to the end of the committee table with a declaration that he did not intend to be "bulldozed" in an effort to press in a pre-

ALBERT D. WALTON  
United States District Attorney in Wyoming

pared statement on behalf of the attorney general also brought a sharp exchange. The committee voted twice, 3 to 2, to reject requests of the Daugherty counsel to have the statement reduced before finally accepting it into the day's record.

The statement declared that Mr. Daugherty "respects and condemns the indiscriminate broadcasting of unsubstantiated rumors, whispered epithets and false and scandalous statements, for which no one is responsible" and welcomed the opportunity to expose falsehood and scandal to establish truth. He demanded that if any development should warrant "the formulation of an express charge against him" it be put into "direct terms" and that he be permitted at once to answer.

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## DEATHS

RILEY—John F. Riley, a former well-known resident of this city, but for the past 14 years located in Peabody, died suddenly yesterday at his home, 3 Berry street, after a few hours. Binoe, aged 33 years and in good health, was suddenly stricken with an attack from which he fell sick to rally. His family has the sympathy of a wide circle of friends. He leaves his wife, Bertha Riley; two sons, William G. and Elmer P., one daughter, Mildred; his mother, Mrs. Bridget Riley and three sisters, the Misses Susie and Elizabeth Riley of this city. The body was removed to this city by Undertakers James W. McKenna Sons, and will be taken to the home of his mother, 1100 Lawrence street.

TAYLOR—Mrs. Alice E. Taylor died yesterday at the home of Mrs. Elmer H. Fisher, 11 West Taft Avenue, aged 71 years, 11 months and 2 days. Mrs. Taylor was the widow of Charles L. Taylor, and had been a resident of Lowell for a long period. She leaves two nieces, Mrs. James Stuart Murphy and Mrs. Lillian Hard 1001. The body was removed to the chapel of Funeral Director John A. Weinbeck, 12 Middlesex street.

McNAMARA—Michael McNamara, a well known resident of this city and a member of St. Patrick's parish, died today in his home, 25 Franklin street. He is survived by one son, James E., one daughter, Mrs. Josephine Trainor and several grandchildren.

KALENY—James KALENY, a well known member of the Greek community, died yesterday at the Lowell Corporation hospital, aged 35 years. The body was taken to the chapel of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell &amp; Sons.

FUNERAL NOTICES

CONNELL—Died March 11, Mrs. Alice (McMahon) Connell. Funeral will

take place on Friday morning at 9 o'clock from her late home, 251 Ferry street. Solemn high mass of repose will be said at the Immaculate Conception church at 10 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

DOWNEY—Died in this city, March 10, William T. Downey. The funeral will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from the home of his son, John T. Downey, 1100 Lawrence street. Solemn high mass of repose will be said at the Immaculate Conception church at 10 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery.

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## STACK FORETOLD OIL LEASES YEARS BEFORE THEY WERE SIGNED

Josephus Daniels, Former Secretary of Navy, Tells of Efforts Made to Get Control of Oil Reserves During His Administration

For the first time, Josephus Daniels, former secretary of the navy, tells in the following signed article the "inside story" of efforts made to get control of naval oil reserves during his administration. It is a story that links most interestingly with recent developments in the oil lease investigation.

BY JOSEPHUS DANIELS  
Secretary of the Navy During Wilson Administration.

After congress had set aside naval oil reserves, many persons came to the navy department to inquire about leases.

Letters from all sections of the country asking questions of every kind are received. Private interests wanted to develop the naval oil reserves.

My policy was, and always will be, to keep the oil in the ground where it belongs for naval emergency. I let it

be known that I would not consider leasing. My secretary gave persons who came to see me that message and generally succeeded in convincing them that we meant what we said.

So I do not know personally who might have come representing one interest or another.

There is one instance I do recall that links itself with names mentioned in the present oil leasing scandals and, in the light of recent evidence, is quite interesting.

It was after the election, and the Wilson administration had but a few months more in office.

George Creel, who ran the bureau of public information during the war, came into the office one day.

He told me he had friends in Colorado who were interested in leasing Teapot Dome and wanted to talk with me about it.

I told him there was not a chance on earth.

"George," I told him, "what's the use of having a naval reserve if you exploit it? I have spent years trying to preserve the naval oil reserve."

Creel then said: "Well, that's all right, but I wish you'd see them anyhow. They're good democrats and friends of mine."

"All right, bring 'em in," I said.

And Creel left. He returned with Leo Stack of Denver, who testified recently in the investigation.

Stack put his cards flatly on the table. He explained that he wanted to lease the Teapot Dome reserve.

I told him that he was wasting time; that I was for conservation of the reserve.

"Do you think that oil is going to stay in the ground?" Stack asked, as nearly as I can recall his words.

"Of course it will," I answered. "I've seen to it that it will; some day it is going to be the salvation of the navy."

"Well, let me tell you," Stack added candidly, "it isn't going to stay in the ground."

I believe I asked him what he meant, but at any rate he went on in some such words as these:

"It can't stay in the ground because a new administration is coming and it will be taken out by them. Now, I'm a democrat, and my friends are democrats. Isn't it better to let the democrats and your friends have it than to wait until the other fellows do?"

"There is no such thing as politics," I told him, "it is possible that there are certain politicians bad enough to do things of that sort, but those in power would not dare. They couldn't expect to get away with it. Besides it is my observation that persons of the opposition are just as desirous of serving their navy, and are honest."

And I believed him. I have known a great many politicians in many parties, and did not believe Stack had proper foundation for his words.

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**WILL DEBATE LOCAL ANNEXATION QUESTION**

Edward F. Slattery, Jr., lecturer of Lowell Council 72, Knights of Columbus, has arranged for debate on the local annexation question to follow the regular meeting of Lowell Council this evening. The question to be discussed is: "Resolved: That the annexation of the town of Dracut to the city of Lowell would be mutually advantageous." The affirmative side will be argued by Raymond Custer, Wm. F. Barrett and Cornelius J. O'Neill, while the negative will have as exponents, Past Grand Knight Robert R. Thomas, Charles O'Neill and John P. Ronne, Jr.

The regular meeting of the council will be presided over by Grand Knight Frank A. Groves.

The debators will meet privately before the formal meeting to arrange the order of speaking.

**NEW ORGANIZATION TO PRESENT PLAY**

The Lend-A-Hand Dramatic club, a recently formed organization consisting of a number of young people from the Highlands, is working hard for their first play, "No Trespassing," to be presented the latter part of April.

Every member of the cast has been carefully chosen and consequently some exceptionally good material has been engaged to give the people of Lowell a chance to see just what this flourishing new club can do in the dramatic line.

"No Trespassing" is a clean three-act comedy with many amusing instances, and young as well as old are sure to be highly pleased with the cleverness of the presentation.

The first play given by the Lend-A-Hand Dramatic club is for the benefit of the Highland Congregational church Christian Endeavor society.

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### STORM INTERFERES

The Tuesday evening Lenten service at St. Andrew's church, North Billerica, was omitted because of the storm.

The opening sermon in the Lenten course by Rev. C. C. A. Mather, C.S.P., will be rescheduled tomorrow evening. His subject will be "The Call to Repentance."

Representative Burton, republican, Ohio, heads house committee authorized to investigate charges against two representatives preferred in report of Chicago grand jury.

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## IMPOSSIBLE TO CUT 1923 TAXES BEFORE MAR. 15

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Plans for reduction in income taxes payable this year are again centered in the revenue bill, house republican leaders having rejected President Coolidge's proposal that the provision be taken from the measure and enacted in a separate resolution before first installments are due Saturday. The bill, as passed by the house, now is in the senate finance committee which continued its discussion of various provisions today with Secretary Mellon.

Compliance with the president's request was impossible, Representative Longworth, the republican leader, told him yesterday, explaining the parliamentary act too involved to permit speedy consideration of such a resolution. Mr. Longworth indicated later, however, that if action on the revenue bill should be delayed or if it should fall of enactment, the proposed separate resolution then would be passed. Most of the small taxpayers already have made their first payments, he added, and, therefore, separate action now would be of little benefit.

Democrats in both the senate and house criticized the president for his request and Representative Hull, Tennessee, chairman of the democratic national committee in a statement declared "the utterly belated tax message of the president is in harmony with his past record of delay when confronted either by an important problem or by an emergency situation."

**SHOE SHOP SHUT DOWN**

BROCKTON, March 13.—Lack of orders was today given by H. L. Thinkham, vice president and treasurer of the W. L. Douglass Co., as the reason for announcing the complete shutdown of the firm's No. 3 factory.

**MAGNESIA BEST FOR YOUR INDIGESTION**

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# NOBODY LIKELY TO GO TO PRISON IN BIG OIL SCANDAL

BY CHARLES P. STEWART,  
N.E.A. Service Writer

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Is anybody apt to go to prison on account of the oil scandal? Doheny, for instance? Or Sinclair? Nobody in Washington thinks so. Fall? It's just possible he may be prosecuted. But not probable. Still less so that he'll do time.

There'll be civil suits. The government will try to get back Elk Hills, Teapot Dome and land the Standard Oil company of California holds. Doheny has lost his job. Doheny's doubts will last. Other jobs may be lost. There'll be a political effect, maybe a third party, maybe a chance for the house of representatives to elect the next president.

But jail for anybody? Not a bit likely.

The oil investigators have taken most of a week going through the Washington telegrams sent to E. B. McLean, millionaire newspaper man, at Palm Beach last winter.

There's much interest in McLean's telegrams.

Well, when the oil inquiry started, ex-Secretary of the Interior Fall, naturally objecting to have it known that he borrowed \$106,000 from Doheny just before handing him Elk Hills, got McLean to pretend he'd made the loan, which had to be accounted for somehow, because Fall had used the money to buy a ranch and questions were being asked.

When the deceit leaked out McLean was afraid it would be made very unpleasant for him on the witness stand before the investigators. So he did his best not to be called. Telegrams were sent to him, telling him what the prospects were.

The investigators reckon that a man who was willing to try to help Fall out, as McLean tried, must know a lot about the whole case. They're trying to learn from his telegrams just what he did know. They want to know, too.

Senator Heaflin got an idea that two of McLean's telegrams were from President Coolidge. Investigation proved that he was right. The president explained, however, that one of them was about the appointment of a commissioner of the District of Columbia; the other thanked McLean for complimenting a speech he had made. A big surge has been made because they were from the president, but they don't appear to have much to do with oil.

Some of the oil investigators don't get along very well together.

Senators Lenroot and Smoot are accused of trying to hush the inquiry up.

Then somebody started the story that Senator Walsh had been corresponding with Doheny. Walsh promptly read the correspondence. It seems he called Doheny's attention to a letter from a man who wanted to

## AWAIT FURTHER WORD OF SANTIAGO'S FATE

NEW YORK, March 13.—Ward Line officials today awaited arrival of the Norwegian steamer Cissy at Baltimore for details of the loss of their freighter, the Santiago, which yesterday was reported sunk 50 miles south of Cape Hatteras, with 24 members of her crew.

No further word of the Santiago's fate has been received since the Cissy's captain sent a wireless message to the Ward Line offices announcing that he had picked up in a lifeboat 11 men of the vessel's crew of 35. The Cissy's captain reported that he had seen no other boats in the vicinity.

The Cissy is expected to reach Baltimore today.

### CHARGE NOTICE FROM EXPERIMENT STATION

Massachusetts Agricultural college experiment station has notified Middlesex county farmers that in the future, where agricultural activities are primarily commercial in their nature or which rank as service to the individual rather than for the public good, is seen best to make a reasonable charge for analyses of soils, fertilizers, etc., and also examinations of diseased farm animals. The experiment station had adopted this policy because it believes that only analysis work is performed for the general public good should be done without charge as in the past.

Dracut farmers, some of whom have trained their sons at Massachusetts "Aggie," have received blue notices from Director Sidney B. Haskell today, announcing the new methods of procedure at the experiment station.

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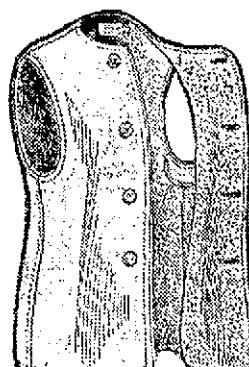
2 for \$1.00

Everybody sells 'em at a dollar—we will too, as soon as this sale is over, because they are worth it. Pin proof, wrinkle proof. Live, peppy patterns and colors.

Men's Fine Pajamas

Solid colors—blues, white, tan, heliotrope. Plenty to choose from, but they'll sell fast so you'll have to hurry.

**Leather Army Jerkins**



**\$1.95**

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**25% Reduction on all Gloves priced above \$1.50.**

**S. H. HARRISON CO.**  
166 Central Street

## JEWS WILL CELEBRATE FEAST OF PURIM

the festival of Purim is significant. Home, religious school, social clubs, etc., are preparing to observe the feast in accordance with this tradition, in case it happens that no special service be held in the synagogue. In that event, the Sabbath preceding Purim there will be special prayer, and only portions of the Book of Esther will be read.

Local Jewish citizens will for the most part celebrate the Purim feast on Wednesday evening, March 19. For those who adhere to the older traditions, there will be special services of solemnity Thursday morning, March 20.

### MEETING POSTPONED

Middlesex County Extension service leaders, who had been prepared to hold an all-day rally in Upton Congregational church today, decided to postpone the scheduled meeting until a later date, because of bad travelling conditions that would prevent many country farmers and their wives from attending. No date has been named for the proposed meeting, but announcement will be made in a few days.

### SCARFS USEFUL

Scarfs this season are usually adaptable so that they may be worn with a street frock to give warmth and protection and as a part of the frock when insi-

## OPERATION RESTORES HOPELESS CRIPPLE

BOSTON, March 13.—After being looked upon as a hopeless cripple Mathew Meyers, a patient at the Long Island hospital, is recovering, and will be restored to a measure of usefulness in industry by a series of orthopedic surgery recently performed upon him by Dr. George K. Carpenter, attached to the staff of the Long Island institution, according to Dr. David J. Johnson, head of the institutions department.

Meyers was suffering from a fractured arm and a fractured leg of long standing and was helpless, being unable to walk or even feed himself. Dr. Carpenter is said to have bored a large hole through the union of the broken forearm and to have inserted the end of the humerus or upper bone through it in such a way as to give considerable up and down motion to the arm and a great deal of freedom so far as twisting motion is concerned.

Into the large bone of Meyers' dis- tured leg a V-shaped section cut from his shin bone was inserted. The femur or thigh bone had been broken in the middle, in the same accident, some years ago, in which the man sustained in-

jury to the arm. He was unable to stand or bear any weight on it, but as a result of the operation, it is said he will have full use of it again.

### \$100,000,000 CREDIT

## FOR BANK OF FRANCE

NEW YORK, March 13.—Fortified by the \$100,000,000 credit established here for the Bank of France, the French franc mounted 15 points to 435 cents at the opening of today's foreign exchange market and then scored another 11 points to 446 cents. The rise, following earlier gains in London, was accelerated by a rush of short covering.

PARIS, March 13.—The statement of the Bank of France, issued today, showed a total of notes in circulation of 38,929,300,000 francs, a decrease of 336,132,000. This compares with an increase of 321,225,000 francs during the preceding week.

Captain and crew of freighter San- tago believed to be lost after ship founders off Cape Hatteras in Tues- day's storm.

## SHIP CIRCLES STIRRED BY SEIZURE OF STEAMER

NEW YORK, March 13.—Steamship circles today were stirred by the news of the seizure by customs officials of the Royal Mail Line's crack steamer *Orduna*, late yesterday under orders of the treasury department which alleged violation of the customs law, the federal narcotics act and the prohibition law. Operators asserted that in their opinion action of the government in seizing a British ship had raised serious issues.

### PLEAS' POPULAR

Playlets are very smart this year, not only for sports skirts and after-noon frocks, but many pleated things are to be seen as well.

**Cuticura Talcum**  
Is Soothing  
For Baby's Skin  
Soap, Ointment, Talcum sold everywhere.

## Golfulor Two-Tone Knit Dresses and Suits—For Spring and Summer Wear

**Tailored Knitted One-Piece DRESSES \$7.95 and \$9.95**



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**Tailored Knitted Jacquette Suits \$14.95**



A two-piece suit, made of knitted fabric, similar to the above dress. The model shows snug long sleeves set into close fitting shoulders.

A feature of this suit is that the jacquette can be worn with a sport skirt, and the skirt can be worn with a sweater or blouse. Colors are—Harding, rust, grey, lariat, navy, Indian and Mexico, with pointed knitted inserts of contrasting colors.

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**There is Value Here in Every Hat**

Designed and created for a definite purpose. An array of superb models that enchant and dazzle the eye. Something new every day.

Trimmed Hats—Milan crowns with combinations of silk, crepe and ribbon brims, artistically trimmed with flowers, burnt peacock, and embroidered effects. Every hat is different.

Prices Begin at \$4.98, Stop at \$20.00  
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Today—Lawrence St.

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## The Top Coat ---

These are the sort of coats that are so much in demand for wear with the simple costume, for motoring, traveling or for general wear.

—Swagger back models with modified raglan sleeves  
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—Straight tube line models with snug fitting sleeves.

Plain, striped or plaid fabrics develop them, including—

Overplaids, Angora Polaire, Teddy Bear, Holenco, Velvetone, Flamingo, Velverette, Striped Alicia, Mafalda, Soft Color Zevo Plaids with Grizette Collar.

Carefully tailored, silk lined and distinctively cut—besides being modestly priced—

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## Hosiery

Seconds of the \$1.65 grade.

Now **\$1.00** a Pair

We've one case, purchased specially for this event—Black, silk, heavy at ankle, fashioned leg and seamless foot.

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### HIGH GRADE OXFORD CHEVIOT WHITE SHIRTS

Popular style for Spring wear, made with collar attached, points buttoned down or without buttons, double cuff or wrist band.

**SPECIAL \$2.00**

### MEN'S HOSIERY

Medium weight, fine Mercerized Cotton Hosiery. Black, navy, brown and gray. Sizes 9 1/2 to 12. Made with double sole, heel and toe, high splicing on heel. Fast colors.

**SPECIAL 35c, 3 for \$1.00**

### MEN'S STREET AND DRIVING GLOVES

Cape, suede, mocha and horsehide, short wrist, lined and unlined. These are from sample lines, slightly soiled but selected stock at about

**1-3 to 1-2 Off**

Street Floor



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We Cordially Invite You to Attend The

## OPENING SALE OF OUR ENLARGED STORE

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Listed below are but a few of the family necessities which may be purchased at this sale at a tremendous saving. You will find here Household Chemicals of every description, equipment for the Family Medicine Chest, Toilet Requisites, Sick Room and Hospital Supplies, Paints, Varnishes, Oils, Brushes, etc.

## PAINTS, VARNISHES, OILS

FREE

Your choice of a full pint of linseed oil or turpentine FREE with every purchase in this department during this sale amounting to \$1.00 or over.

We are discontinuing the Aeme Quality line of Paints and Varnishes. Here are two bargains that you cannot afford to miss—

STOVE PIPE ENAMEL ..... 28c  
SCREEN ENAMEL, pint ..... 33c

## Guaranteed Pure Shellac

Made as good as Shellac can be made. Full 5-lb. cut. Made with 100% proof Formula No. 1 Alcohol—

White ..... 63c pt.  
Orange ..... 56c pt.  
(Bottle inclusive)  
TURPENTINE ..... 32c qt.  
RAW LINSEED OIL ..... 30c pt.  
(Bottle inclusive)

## Auto Finishes

Enamel, pint ..... 95c to \$1.35

Seat and Top Dressing, pt. ..... 95c

Hood and Fender Enamel, pt. ..... 95c



## Brighten Up Your Woodwork!

A little paint or varnish will do wonders in brightening up your woodwork. And it's so easy to wield a paint brush that it's actually fun to do it.

This store is headquarters for the famous



This wonderful varnish is unequalled for outdoor or indoor use. It is waterproof and accident-proof—the varnish that won't turn white.

When you need anything in high-grade paints, varnishes or enamels, you'll find it here.

Valspar Varnish, pint ..... \$1.10

Va'spar Varnish Stain, pint ..... \$1.10

Valspar Enamel, pint ..... \$1.25

High grade all bristle Paint and Varnish Brushes, at remarkably low prices.

## Hospital and Sick Room Supplies

Owing to the numerous calls for First Class Hospital and Sickroom Supplies we have opened a department of this kind, plan to sell nothing but high-grade materials, at the lowest possible prices. Large stocks purchased by us make this possible.

## FREE Egyptian Deodorizer

Box of 15 Candles and Holders. Destroys obnoxious odors and perfumes the air—FREE with every purchase amounting to \$1 or over in this department.

Special for this sale 1-year guaranteed Rubber Hot Water Bottles, 63c

Special for this sale, guaranteed Fountain Syringe ..... 63c

Special for this sale, Metal Hot Water Bottle ..... 89c

Crylight, green, pt. ..... 63c

Floor Paint, inside, qt. ..... 95c

Japolac Varnish Stain, pt. ..... 90c

Japolac Varnish Enamel, pt. ..... 90c

Paint and Varnish Remover, pt. ..... 45c

Paste Wood Filler, lb. can, 35c

Porch and Deck Paint, qt. ..... 91c

Flat Wall Finish, qt. ..... 93c

Ripolin Enamel, pt. ..... \$1.40

Florette Varnish, pint ..... 85c

Wearette Varnish, pint ..... 85c

Jap-Spar Varnish, pint ..... 95c

Wood Stains, pint ..... 65c to 70c

Atomizers ..... 70c to \$1.25

Medicine Droppers ..... 4c

Infants' Syringes, 30c to 75c

Medicine flasks, handy for traveling ..... 27c

Extra quality rubber Hot Water Bottles at lowest prices.

## Chemicals

Usual and unusual chemicals have always been sold by us. Chemicals which are not manufactured in our plant are in almost every case purchased direct from the manufacturers. We are recognized as the leading wholesale chemical house of northern New England and we are glad that we have the privilege of being able to allow the retail trade the benefit of our purchasing power. No matter what prices others quote (quality considered) our prices will be as low or lower.



FREE

\$1.00 Bottle of Comatone FREE with every purchase amounting to \$1.00 or more in this department. This exceptional value is due to arrangements made with manufacturer of Comatone to further introduce this high grade article to the Lowell public.

Soap Flakes, lb. ..... 20c	Russian Oil, quart ..... 80c
5 lbs. ..... 95c	Pint ..... 48c
10 lbs. ..... \$1.80	(Bottles inclusive)
Epsom Salts, lb. ..... 10c	Menthol Rub, pint ..... 39c
in cartons, 5 lbs. ..... 45c	(Bottles inclusive)
Borax, in carton, lb. ..... 11c	Aspirin, 5 gr. tablets, 100 in bottle ..... 35c
Boric Acid, lb. carton ..... 33c	Cascara Sagrada Tablets, 5 grs. ..... 21c
In bulk, lb. ..... 25c	(100 in bottle)
Tartaric Acid, lb. ..... 55c	Flexible Colloction, 1 oz. tube ..... 18c
1/2 lb. ..... 33c	Glycerin, qt. ..... 85c
1/4 lb. ..... 17c	Pint ..... 48c
Ammonia, qt. ..... 45c	Half pint ..... 27c
Pt. ..... 28c	(Bottles inclusive)
Olive Oil, qt. ..... \$1.30	Raking Powder, lb. in carton ..... 39c
Pt. ..... 73c	Sodium Phosphate, lb. can, 29c
1/2 pt. ..... 40c	Sodium Phosphate Effervescent, lb. ..... \$1.15
(Bottles inclusive)	1-lb. bottle ..... 39c
Castor Oil, qt. ..... 60c	Witch Hazel, qt. ..... 60c
Pt. ..... 35c	Pt. ..... 35c
1/2 pt. ..... 20c	(Bottles inclusive)
(Bottles inclusive)	Camphorated Oil, pint, \$1.10
Adhesive Plaster, 5-yd. half-inch wide ..... 25c	Bay Rum, qt. ..... 75c
5 yd. 1 in. wide ..... 30c	Pt. ..... 43c
5 yd. 2 in. wide ..... 45c	1/2 pt. ..... 25c
5 yd. 3 in. wide ..... 70c	(Bottles inclusive)
Absorbent Cotton, 1 lb. roll ..... 53c	Sweet Spurts Nitre, 4 oz. bottle ..... 65c
8 oz. carton ..... 39c	WATER GLASS ..... 14c qt. to 40c gal.
4 oz. carton ..... 23c	Directions Given
2 oz. carton ..... 15c	
1 oz. carton ..... 8c	
Household Rubber Gloves, 45c	
Atomizers ..... 70c to \$1.25	
Medicine Droppers ..... 4c	
Infants' Syringes, 30c to 75c	
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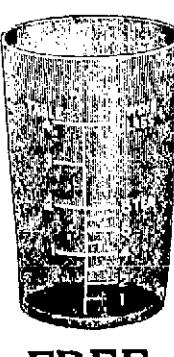
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Makes Clothes Snow White without rubbing, can be used in washing machines.

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## Family Medicines

It is not our plan to carry a full line of the Family Medicines now on the market, but it is our intention to carry the most needed and dependable, and these will be bought in large quantities in order to enable us to give the lowest possible prices to the people of Lowell and vicinity. Below you will find the names of a few of the Family Medicines carried by us:



FREE

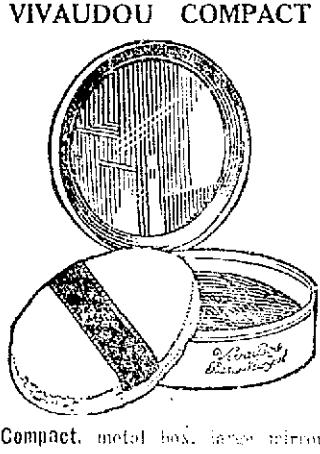
## Toilet Goods Dept.

FREE  
25c Can of Mavis Talcum Powder



With every purchase amounting to \$1.00 or over in this department.

SPECIAL  
30c box of Mavis Face Powder and 50c Jar of Mavis Cream, Both for 45c  
Mavis Face Powder, 50c box ..... 35c  
Lady Mary Face Powder, 50c a box ..... 35c



Compact, metal box, large mirror, puff, \$1.25 value, during this sale only ..... 49c

VIVAUDOU COMPACT  
Prophylicetic Hair Brush and Headaches Head Powder, \$1.25 value, Both for ..... 79c

Talbot's Superior Extra Laundry Soap ..... 9c per bar 12 bar \$1.00

Case 175 Bars delivered at your home for ..... \$6.00  
Palmedine Shaving Cream ..... 25c  
Palmedine Talcum Powder ..... 25c

Both for ..... 43c  
Very Finest French Tooth Brush, individual cartons, 60c value, 45c

High Grade Nail Brushes, 50c to \$1.50  
Finest Shaving Brushes, set in rubber ..... 50c to \$5.00

Kolynos Tooth Paste ..... 21c  
Pohco Tooth Paste ..... 34c  
Peppermint Tooth Paste ..... 34c  
S. S. White Tooth Paste ..... 30c  
Williams Dental Cream ..... 23c

Jenison's Tooth Powder ..... 23c  
Hinds Honey and Almond Cream 37c

"THE CHEMICAL STORE"



GETTING READY

Republican women are sharpening their tongues for the coming campaign. Photo shows group at National Women's Republican club, New York City, where trained speakers instruct rookies. On speakers' platform, left to right are: Mrs. Arthur L. Livermore, Mrs. Nelly Shuler, Mrs. Harriet Taylor Upton and Mrs. Rosalie Low Whitney.

## AMUSEMENT NOTES

**RIALTO THEATRE**  
"Trifling Women," Rex Ingram's own dramatic photoplay, which opens at the Rialto theatre today, is a story within a story. In order to point a moral to his pleasure-loving and frivolous daughter, who ignores a devoted husband, the author-father reads to her the manuscript of his new novel, the story of Zarelda, the crystal gazer. He recounts the woman's terrible fascination, which leads brother to compete against brother, and father against son. He tells Zarelda's hold on an old baron, whose son Ivan, too, shares her favor, of the young man's departure to war, of the baron's death at Zarelda's instigation, of Ivan's return and his discovery that she has married a wealthy man for his money; and finally of the illicit love of Ivan and Zarelda, costing them their lives in the seer's tower.

A perfect cast has been assembled by Mr. Ingram to enact the roles of the photoplay. Among them are: quartet who appeared in "The Friend of Zarelda"; Lewis Stone, Barbara La Marr, Ramon Novarro and Edward Connolly. Flawless acting is contributed by Mr. Stone in the role of the wronged man, by the beautiful Barbara La Marr, one of the most brilliant of the newer screen celebrities as Zarelda, by Mr. Novarro, whose portrayal of young Ivan is certain to establish him as a famous leading man, and by Edward Connolly, the veteran character actor, whose impersonation of Ivan's father, the Baron von Marpum, is thoroughly masterful.

Other pictures on the bill are: "The Strand,"

"Dropped From the Clouds," with Ethel Sedgwick, a Buddy Messenger comedy and the latest issue of Fox News.

## B. F. KEEF'S THEATRE

The best jazz band in the vaudeville circuit, barring none, is that assemblage of players known as Webb's Entertainers at the B. F. Keith's theatre during the present week. But jazz isn't all that the men are playing. They have hit upon the idea of dramatizing popular songs, and with the aid of Joseph Perry, form-syle of Lowell, they accomplish wonders. There are tense moments during the playing of this band, "Blackface" Eddie Nelson, who called the Twentieth Century Chorus, possesses a first-rate baritone voice, in addition to his other talents. Shadow A. McNeill, in dancing, and comedy are a lively pair, and Jack Kennedy and Helen Wards in "Waltz a Minute" have a comedy turn with a surprise finish. Other acts are Aubrey and Gardner, in songs and music, and Phillips & Seville, stock wire performers. The week's picture is "The Love Bandit."

## THE STRAND

John Davies and Leon F. Price will occupy the Rialto's main hall for comic hours, but there is an old story which has been repeated since our forefathers: "The Rialto Olympic Games." A half dozen stars of the squared circle will compete in the Strand's Olympic Games, to be given in New York, on Saturday, March 17, at the Strand. The week's picture is "The Love Bandit,"

## SEEKING DENIS SULLIVAN

Denis Sullivan, the famous Irishman, who has been a favorite at the Strand for many years, has been engaged to appear in a special matinee on Saturday, March 17, at the Strand. The week's picture is "The Love Bandit,"

## CALLED "WITIEST MAN IN AMERICA"

So it has come to pass on March 17 that the impudent, if not brilliant, American comedian has been called the "wittiest man in America." His lecturing is being received with greater popular acclamation than his newspaper articles. James P. Conway, chairman of the Legion committee which is in charge of the affair, is a personal friend of Mr. O'Hearn, having roomed with him for four years at Harvard. Tickets for the O'Hearn Lecture may be secured at Dickermon & McQuade's drugstore and Variety.

## REAL IRISH NIGHT

AUDITORIUM and LIBERTY HALL

Monday, March 17

## TICKETS

For Sale at the Following Places:  
BERADERE DRUG STORE  
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WEBSTER'S DRUG STORE  
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KIRKIN'S STORE  
GREEN'S DRUG STORE  
GALLAGHER'S CANDY SHOP  
HARRY'S CONFECTIONERY  
BROWN'S DRUG STORE  
KIRKIN'S DRUG STORE  
HEARDON'S—BROADWAY  
MARCHAND'S AUTO SUPPLY  
BARLOW'S—Depot  
CARROLL'S VARIETY STORE  
MITCHELL'S BROS.—WALMART  
BROWN'S BROS. CANDY STORE  
SHEEHAN'S GROCERY  
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HENRY'S VARIETY STORE  
MRS. HALL'S VARIETY STORE  
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## MERRIMACK SQ.

## Now Playing

On the same program with ELAINE HAMMERSTEIN in "Broadway Gold."

Fred Thompson

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COMEDY, NEWS AND BOSTON POST REEL. "Romance of Coffee."

Coming Sun., Mon., Tues., Wed., "The Stranger"

BETTY THOMPSON, RICHARD DIX, LOUIS STONE and JULY MARSHALL.

Five Hundred Seats at Twenty-five.

MARION DAVIES  
in Little Old New York

STRAND  
THIS WEEK ONLY

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NOW highways are getting expert attention of traffic experts. For example, this one is undergoing a test by the engineers of the University of Maryland and the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads. It is between Baltimore and Washington. A platform is set into the road, resting on two concrete walls and connected to a recording apparatus by a hose of water. As an auto passes over it, the weight of both front and rear axles are recorded. Thus the engineers keep track of the amount and degree of traffic on the road.

backs up a thrilling fight by ringing the fire alarm. The trouble is house-situated and then her lover returns, and of course the entanglement is marriage and future happiness. The story has all of the pleasing elements of a high class photoplay. Don't miss seeing it.

MERRIMACK SQUARE

The dauntless maid of the seven in a story of the bright lights. That, in a few words, sums up "Broadway Gold." Ethel Hammerstein, the girl promoted by such stars as Kathryn Williams, Elliot Dexter, Richard Wayne and Harold Goodwin. Miss Hammerstein plays the leading role of a young chorus girl thrown into the swift-moving and dangerous waters of Broadway in her struggle for fame and fortune. In short, the production is a glittering romance of the great White Way.

Other attractions include: Fred

Thompson in "Exiles of Nevada," a comedy, "Up in the Air," the latest Boston Post picture; "The Story of Grade A Milk," and the most recent International News Weekly.

C. V. M. VS. VYER

The first Ayer Town team will play the C. V. M. baseball team tonight on Saturday night in the Ayer Gym on Suffolk Street. This should be one of the best games of the season owing to the great play of both teams and the keen rivalry. Last Thursday night the C. V. M. won over Ayer and lost by three points, 11 to 18. According to the Ayer people, it was the best game played there this season because of the fast team work and the clean sportsmanship. The team for the Ayer team will be: Edward Phillips, W. W. Worth, Fowles and Wadsworth. The team for the C. V. M. will be: C. C. Boggan, H. C. M. Gilligan, A. A. Russell, O. Belton and K. K. K.

Life first appeared on the earth during the enozoic period, second of the six geological periods.

KILLING OF HEATON KING HUSSEIN CALIPH OF ALL THE MOSLEMS

Said to Have Been Involved in Other Attacks Similar to That on Gates

COLUMBIA, S. C., March 13.—Richard H. Heaton, who was killed in Louisville, last Saturday by William Gates, who in his confession to the police declared Heaton had kidnapped him and held him prisoner for the purpose of performing an operation on him, was wanted in Lake City, S. C., for two attempted attacks similar to that on Gates, according to the The Columbia State. According to the story, the attacks were attempted last November and December by Heaton, a confederate known as W. A. Rogers and an unknown woman. The assaults were made on a prominent citizen of Lake City whose name is concealed. The attorney said Heaton had been positively identified.

Jerusalem, March 13.—In accepting

the offer of the caliphate, tendered

him by the Palestine delegates, King

Hussein of the Hedjaz said the present state of world affairs forced him to take on "this added burden in the service of the Moslems." He hoped to co-operate with all nations in the cause of peace, he added. He fitted rather than blamed the Turks for banishing the former caliph, Abdul Medjid, and offered asylum to the members of the Turkish royal family.

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the offer of the caliphate, tendered

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Hussein of the Hedjaz said the present state of world affairs forced him to take on "this added burden in the service of the Moslems." He hoped to co-operate with all nations in the cause of peace, he added. He fitted rather than blamed the Turks for banishing the former caliph, Abdul Medjid, and offered asylum to the members of the Turkish royal family.

Life first appeared on the earth during the enozoic period, second of the six geological periods.

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Singing and Dancing by Broderick's Singing Orchestra, assisted by several well known entertainers guaranteed to be the Best Time in Lowell.

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Walter Christie, famous track coach of the University of California, will be one of the men in charge of the United States athletes in the coming

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A full pound of Effer-  
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Mr. Ezra A. Billings of Tyngsboro, near Lowell, Mass., says:

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"My nerves were in such a bad state that I couldn't stand any noise. I could not sit still a minute without jerking around. All the medicines that I tried failed to do me a bit of

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"I want everyone to know how Dreco has helped me in the hopes that other men and women suffering as I did will benefit by my wonderful experience with this medicine."

Dreco is made from the pure, unadulterated juices of 12 remarkable plants, roots, bark and leaves. Scientifically blended by the David H. Fullerton Laboratories of Baltimore, they act directly on the stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels and blood, and tend to relieve constipation, headaches, rheumatism, catarrh, bilious, dizzy spells, heart fluttering, gas on stomach, and other troubles.

Dreco is being specially introduced by Green's Drug Store and sold by druggists everywhere—Adv.

INQUIRY TO DETERMINE NAMES OF ACCUSED MEN

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Inquiry to determine officially the names of the two representatives mentioned in the Chicago grand jury report and the nature of the charges against them is to be made immediately by a special house committee.

The committee was appointed late yesterday under a resolution by Rep. Garrett, the democratic leader, which reversed the vote of the house Tuesday to leave the investigation of the matter for 10th present in the hands of the department of justice.

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WOMAN WEAK DIZZY, FAINT

Found Relief in Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Always Recommends It.

Bridgeport, Connecticut.—"I was completely run-down, had headaches, dizzy, faint feelings and other troubles women often have. As I had taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before, my husband said to take it again. I have now taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Blood Medicine, the Liver Pills, and six

boxes of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Tablets. I am feeling very good now and shall continue taking them for a while. I have been telling my cousin about the medicine and she wants to take it, too. I always recommend it."—Mrs. HENRY C. SMITH, R. F. D. No. 3, Box 6, Bridgeport, Conn.

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Patent Leather  
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Many Other  
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With Large  
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## AULD LANG SYNE

Should auld acquaintance be forgot,  
And never brought to min'?

Should auld acquaintance be forgot  
And days o' auld lang syne?

For auld lang syne, my dear,  
For auld lang syne,  
We'll take a cup o' kindness yet,  
For auld lang syne.

We twa hae run' aboot the braes  
And pu'd the gowans fine;  
But we've wander'd many a weary foor  
Sin' auld lang syne.

We two hae paddit' i' the burn  
From morning sun till dene;  
But seas between us braid ha'e roared  
Sin' auld lang syne.

And here's a hand, my trusty fire  
And gie's a hand o' thine,  
And we'll tak a right guid willie-waught  
For auld lang syne.

And surely ye'll be your pint-stoup  
And surely I'll be mine;  
And we'll tak a cup o' kindness yet,  
For auld lang syne.

—Robert Burns.



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A Massachusetts Company conducted for the sole benefit of its Policy Holders, under conservative management, with sound investments, and an unexcelled record for the prompt payment of death claims.

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Excerpt from the Annual Statement as submitted to the Massachusetts Insurance Department for the year 1923

INCOME,—PREMIUMS AND INVESTMENTS	• \$ 2,089,754.22
RESERVE FOR POLICY HOLDERS	• 5,510,071.00
SURPLUS, RESERVED FOR POLICY DIVIDENDS	77,403.77
SURPLUS, UNASSIGNED FUNDS	411,911.98
INSURANCE IN FORCE	39,130,891.00

Since its organization the Company has \$7,425,546.51 paid to policy-holders and beneficiaries

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Many people do not realize that the iron spinach, lentils and apples, and like the iron in your blood. You will be astonished at how much better you feel often in even a few days.

Try taking Nuxated Iron for two weeks, and you will see color come back to your lips and cheeks, you will not be so easily upset by trifles, and best of all, you will find that you have new strength and energy and endurance for your daily tasks. At all good druggists.

### LOWELL EAGLES VISIT LAWRENCE

A delegation of more than 50 members of Lowell Aerie of Eagles last night attended a bazaar being conducted by Lawrence Aerie in the Winter Garden in the downriver city. The Lowell delegation left this city early in the evening in a special car and were the guests of Lawrence Aerie for several hours. Worthy President Thomas P. Quinn was in charge of the Lowell party.

#### DETACHABLE COLLARS

Detachable, detachable lingerie collars that give a note of freshness to any suit or gown are featured in all spring and summer styles.

DRESSES for \$10 that would win instant appreciation at much higher prices—Dresses combining a perfection of design, a superiority in workmanship, a uniqueness of trimming. All for \$10! Placed on sale tomorrow morning as another economy achievement of Fashion's Basement.



A dose at bedtime of  
DR. CALDWELL'S  
**SYRUP PEPSIN**  
Made them feel jolly again

### Good Health In Happy Old Age

THE chief concern of elderly people is their health, and that is best assured by regular daily bowel movement. There is no truth, however, in the notion that because you are old you need a "strong physic." In fact, just because you are old a mild laxative is better for you. The trouble with purges and cathartics and cathartics is that they shock the system and weaken it, and the muscles of digestion flabby. Dr. G. H. Brown, V. S., of Frederic, Wis., nearly wrecked his stomach with purgatives. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsi restored his health, as it did Mrs. J. S. Etheridge's, of Milledgeville, Ga.

#### Does Not Gripe

You can be sure of satisfactory evacuations every day if you will take a spoonful of Syrup Pepsi at night when you retire. You will not need to take it very long as a few doses will soon encourage the bowels to act for themselves.

The popularity of this wonderful family remedy has become so great that it is now the

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#### Effective at Small Cost

Get a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsi at any drug store. The formula is on the package, and the cost less than a cent a dose. Take it when you feel heavy, sleep poorly, have headache or night cramps; for these are also symptoms of constipation. Give it to the children when they are restless, feverish or have a cold. Syrup Pepsi will keep you and the family free from constipation, a condition that lowers the vitality 25 per cent and raises the blood pressure 25 per cent. Freedom from constipation lessens the pain of kidney trouble, neuritis and rheumatism.

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I need a good laxative and would like to know what you say about Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsi by actual test.

Send me a free trial bottle. Address to

Name.....

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Not more than one free trial bottle to a family

ing with the following members of the central fire station at 1:55 o'clock yesterday taking part: Harry Cohen, Ben Kaplan, David Zell, Hatch Ostrow, H. Brown, H. Greenbaum, Myer Green and Herbert Fader.

#### FAUCET DISHWASHER

The newest dishwasher which consists of a length of tubing and a spray-mouthing rag in a building at 1:55 o'clock yesterday taking part: Harry Cohen, Ben Kaplan, David Zell, Hatch Ostrow, H. Brown, H. Greenbaum, Myer Green and Herbert Fader.

#### TELEPHONE ALARM

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## Cherry & Webb 6.

Fashion's Basement Offers a Spectacular  
Two-Day Sale of Charming

# Spring Dresses

#### Fabrics for Every Taste

Checked Velours, Plain Flannels, New Silks, Satin Faced Canton, Charmeuse, Twills, Serges.

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Every garment fresh,  
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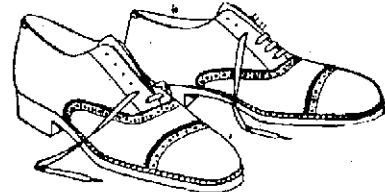
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THEY WILL DECIDE LUDENDORFF'S FATE

Here is a group of justices and assistants in the Munich, Germany, high court, who are trying General von Ludendorff, Adolf Hitler and others. The charge is high treason.



Men's fine dress shoes  
and oxfords priced  
up to \$10.00  
Reduced to only  
**\$2.95**

Friday and Saturday  
**ONLY**

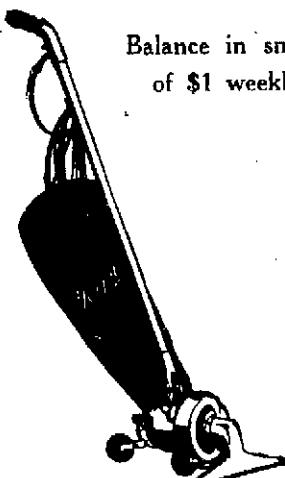
800 pair of men's fine shoes and oxfords are in this sensational Friday and Saturday offering. Nearly all of them will be sold tomorrow, because such bargains are not offered very often.

Rubber boots, arctics, rubbers, work shoes, all radically reduced for your saving.

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**ONLY \$1 DOWN**

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Balance in small convenient payments  
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Once the ROYAL CLEANER is in your home—your cleaning worries will be over—because when used with attachments practically every type of cleaning can be done.

These special easy payment terms were offered so that the Royal would be within the reach of everyone—and since this special offer is made for a limited time only—why not 'phone 821 today and arrange a free home demonstration?

**The Lowell Electric Light Corp.**  
29-31 Market Street

## SAFETY WEEK CAMPAIGN

Small Attendance at Opening  
Rally Held Last Night in  
Liberty Hall

Uncertain weather and rather deplorable traveling conditions were doubtless responsible last night for a very slim attendance of Lowell citizens previously summoned to appear at a rally conducted under the auspices of the Lowell Safety Week committee in Liberty Hall, Memorial Auditorium.

Twenty-two persons, including two public-spirited women, participated in a general discussion of safety first and safe roads programs of modern civilization. All agreed that Lowell should take the forward step and actively promote its desire to spread the cause of life-saving, yet so far as immediate organization of a local program is concerned, it was plainly in evidence last evening that until a larger number of both well-wishers and active supporters of the safe roads movement can be gathered together in conference, little real progress toward an elaborate observance of "Safety Week" in May, as proposed, can be made.

Lewis E. MacBrayne, general manager of the Massachusetts Safety council, with which is affiliated the Safe Roads federation, local safety organizations and co-operating women's organizations, with headquarters at No. 5 Beacon street, Boston, presided at last night's meeting, eager to explain the latest programs of leading sponsors of the safer roads movement, but plainly disappointed at the apparent lack of support as exhibited by last night's small attendance of Lowell citizens.

Secretary-Manager George F. Wells of the chamber of commerce, who has given a great deal of his time and energy to enlist representative Lowell citizens and various social, civic, business and charitable organizations in the program for real co-operation in the plans formulated for a safety week campaign in Lowell, opened the meeting.

He explained the vital purposes of the call and reviewed the efforts that have been made to arouse public interest in a substantial campaign that would put Lowell on a plane with other large New England cities and towns. Extraordinary good work has been done outside of Lowell in preserving human life by not only regulating traffic, but keeping the public better informed of the dangerous hazards that are to be met with today on all traffic highways where automobiles are operated.

Among the few but earnest believers in a vigorous safe roads campaign in Lowell, provided such a campaign first receiving solid support from representatives of every walk of life, and who were present last evening to participate in the rally, were Chief Edward F. Saunders, of the Lowell fire department; Chief Thomas R. Atkinson, of the police department; Major Walter R. Jeyes, of the Lowell Boys' Club; Councilor Maurice Lambert and John W. Daly, and Manager C. J. Leathers of the N. E. T. & T. Co.

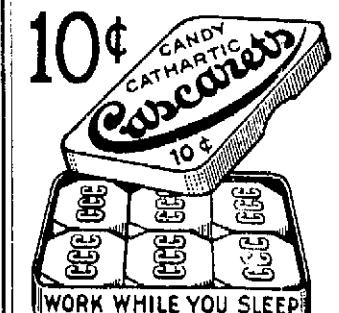
The speakers' list contained the name of Ralph A. Night of Somerville, who has driven an automobile for several automobiles more than 600,000 miles during the last 20 years and without a breath of an accident; which appears to be a record.

By a curious whim of fate, another anticipated speaker lost out on his intended trip from Boston to Lowell and was compelled to send regrets via Mr. MacBrayne.

It appears that Gen. Alfred E. Poole, essayed to pilot his motor car late yesterday afternoon through Boston town in the March storm aftermath, but met with disaster when he collided with another street vehicle, damaging his car so badly that it had to be

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SICK, BILIOUS**

Harmless Laxative for the  
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towed back to the Hub, thus canceling the general's Lowell trip for the time being. He is to come to Lowell and address the next meeting of the Lowell Safety Week committee, however, if another meeting is held. Gen. Poole is state commissioner of public safety and had an interesting message to deliver in Lowell last evening.

Mr. MacBrayne, opening the public meeting in Liberty Hall, confessed that he had hoped to see more Lowell citizens present, but realized that weather conditions were quite abominable and such reasons for absences were quite acceptable. The safety council manager described the lecture courses that are now being given under various auspices in various cities, such as Boston, Franklin, Salem and Milton. A motor vehicle drivers' course is also being extended in many chauffeurs and would-be chauffeurs under the joint auspices of the Safe Roads federation and the Boston Y.M.C.A.

The council representative declared that he sincerely hoped last night's meeting was not an indication that the local safety week committee plans will not be carried out. He advised, nevertheless, that no formal plans for a city-wide campaign be attempted until complete co-operation of all interested citizens can be definitely secured.

Secretary-Manager Wells, who spoke briefly after Mr. MacBrayne had presented startling statistics covering both fatal and serious-injury accidents on Massachusetts highways in past months, approved of the MacBrayne suggestion that no formal action for the coming proposed "Safety Week" campaign be instituted until a meeting has been held with larger attendance, in order that the views of those not present last evening may be secured and weighed in the formulative analysis.

Mr. Night told the story of the birth of the automobile, compared today's motor vehicle with the curious models of 20 years ago and traced their expansion in the development of more ingenious machinery and motor equipments. Speaking of the early days in automobile history, Mr. Night continued:

"Accidents twenty years ago were practically unknown because the cars could not be driven fast. The roads were also poor, and the newness of the auto put the fear of them into both children and adults. The cars of that period were so complicated that the operator could do nothing else but keep his attention upon the car and the road. Today the thousands of motor cars upon our highways are a part of our daily life."

"The driver of today is too confident. He seems to feel that his responsibility ends when he passes the state examiner. The law says, for example, that at an intersection the car on the right has the right of way. How many times have you seen cars racing to beat the other fellow to this point of intersection?"

"How many times have you blown your horn at the crossing without lowering your speed, expecting that the other fellow would stop? How many of us, right here tonight, in approaching a railroad crossing, take a chance because the motor cars in front of us have gotten off right?"

"I have driven motor cars nearly 600,000 miles in the past 20 years,

have seen a large number of accidents

and have traced many of them to their source. I honestly believe that the greater number were avoidable."

Major Jeyes, of the Boys' Club, asked to present his ideas on "Safety Week" prospects, said he had always been in favor of a well-organized campaign in Lowell, was supporting it to the best of his ability and knew that the Lowell Rotary Club was also strongly backing the movement. As a member of Rotary, he said he would do all he could to secure a good working organization to promote safe roads in Lowell and vicinity, and he believed in making this statement that he was voicing the sentiment of individual Rotarians, although he did not want to appear as officially representing Rotary last evening in the capacity of message-bearer to the effect.

Mr. Jeyes said he was deeply interested in the campaign to banish the Safety Week program in Lowell, because of his love for little children. He is today in charge of joyous club quarters where sometimes as many as 1,200 boys rally in healthy, vigorous, clean play, and his heart beats for them, he added, when they go forth after playorous hours to scamper to their homes through the city thoroughfares often crowded with automobile traffic in every direction.

Police Chief Atkinson said he approved wholeheartedly of Safety Week plans, but believed that solid support must be given to the present movement before it can possibly succeed.

The chief and Mr. MacBrayne had a good-natured tilt over the Lowell automobile accident averages taken from yearly safety council summaries where human beings have been killed or injured. The safe roads committee has placed Lowell in seventh place in 1923 as a city where auto casualties have increased. In 1922, Lowell had the honor of leading all cities with a lowest casualty record.

Chief Atkinson disputed the statement that Lowell's casualties had increased last year, and Mr. MacBrayne explained that the summaries were possibly not up-to-date.

Dr. Harry B. Plunkett, Manager C. J. Leathers and Arnold Ryan spoke briefly.

It was decided not to set a definite date last night for another meeting in the interest of a Safety Week in Lowell in May, until the sentiment of various representatives of leading Lowell welfare and other organizations can definitely be secured. Further activities will be held in abeyance for the present until the newly-organized Lowell Safety Week committee announces its plans.

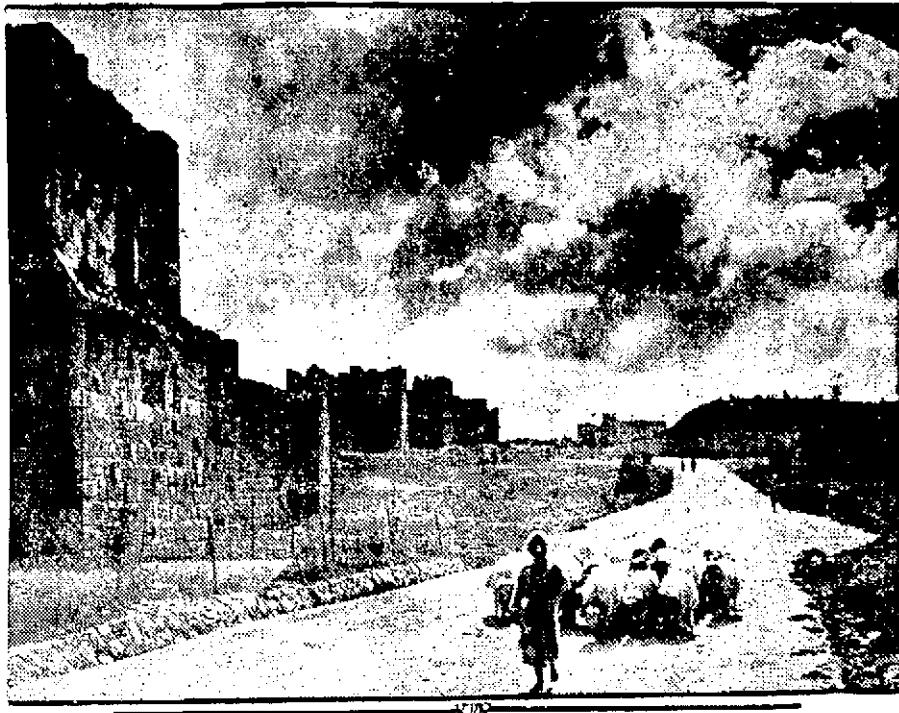
**Alkali in Shampoos  
Bad For Washing Hair**

Many soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much free alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is Mustard coconut oil shampoo, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It is inexpensive and beats anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

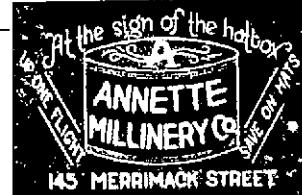
Two or three teaspoonsful is all that is required. Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which cleanse thoroughly, and rinses out easily, and the hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh-looking, bright, shiny, wavy and easy to manage. Besides, it lathers and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dan-

## LENT IN THE HOLY LAND



North Wall of Jerusalem and the road some archaeologists declare Jesus traversed on his way to crucifixion. The little hill to the right is said by these historians to be the actual scene of Christ's death, as they point out that it was here that public executions were held in the days of Pilate.

## OPPOSITE POLLARD'S



Over McEvoy's Optical Store



The Greatest Millinery Sale Ever Held in Lowell  
Will Begin Friday, March 14th at 9 A. M.

Alterations in our Warren, R. I., store cannot be completed in time for the Spring opening. With HUNDREDS AND HUNDREDS OF CHOICEST SPRING HATS RE-SHIPPED TO OUR LOWELL STORE FOR DISPOSAL, together with our own large stock of new arrivals, we are actually swamped. We are going to sacrifice these up-to-the-minute hats at less than cost of material.

2.00 Untrimmed HATS	4.00 TRIMMED HATS	5.00 TRIMMED HATS	88 and \$10 TRIMMED HATS
95c	\$1.89	\$2.69	\$4.69

The First Twenty-Five Purchases of Five Dollars or More Will Be Given \$2.00  
Untrimmed Hats Free.

15c Hat Linings	5c	1000 Yards of Moisture-Proof Maline, all colors; regular 50¢ value. Sale price	27c
50c Flowers	25c	"BOBBED HAIR" HATS	
\$1.00 Appliques	49c	25 Five-Yard Remnants of Silk Georgette, all colors; regular price \$2.00. For	\$1.19 <sup>1</sup>
15c West Hair Nets	5c	this sale Warranted Perfect Quality	
75c Flowers	35c		

We cannot begin to tell you of the many beautiful styles—the large assortment of materials—and the elaborate trimmings. It will be WORTH YOUR WHILE TO TRAVEL MILES to see these wonderful creations and besides, THE SAVINGS WILL BE ENORMOUS.

**You Can Do It Better With Gas**

**Gas Light Weathers All Kinds  
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In winter and summer, spring and fall, regardless of weather conditions, gas is always ready for instant use.

The winds may blow, storms may rage, it may be freezing temperature, or it may be sultry summer weather, but no matter what the conditions are, you can always depend upon the supply of gas.

In the store, the X-radio light makes the interior cheerful and comfortable. Its equal diffusion is indeed restful to the eyes, which are most always overworked in these days of twentieth century progress.

In the factory, the same condition holds good where employees are confined for many hours a day.

In the home, the housewife, more than anyone else, appreciates the soft glow of a reflex light in the kitchen.

Gas may rightfully be called the Ever-Ready source of light and heat.

And we are ever ready for a storm of orders.

**Lowell Gas Light Co.**

**You Can Do It Better With Gas**

# Cubs May Trade Hollocher for Maranville — Friedman and Sheppard Ready for Bout

## TALK OF TRADE OF HOLLOCHER OF CUBS FOR MARANVILLE OF PIRATES

Fears Are Rife That Manager Chance Will Be Unable to Join White Sox Before Opening of Season

Regulars and Yanigans of Phillies Battle to 10-Inning Tie

CHICAGO, March 13.—Fears are rife, blamed the effects of influenza on his eyes.

Disappointed by his defeat Tuesday by St. Louis, Wilbert Robinson, skipper of the Brooklyn infield, and in today's game will shift Jimmy Johnston from third to short, displacing Moe Berg, and send Andy High to third.

The Giants are back to a normal schedule, after a week of unpredictable weather. A team captain by Frank Frisch yesterday beat Helio Greco's place, 6 to 1.

**Tiger Regulars Win**

DETROIT, March 13.—In the first practice baseball game of the training camp on Catalina Island, Calif., with the expected return of Barney Dreyfuss, of the Pittsburgh Nationals, with Hollocher, Cub shortstop, to be exchanged for Rube Maranville.

### 10-Inning Tie

PHILADELPHIA, March 13.—The regulars and Yanigans of the Phillies yesterday for the second time in less than a week, battled to a 10-inning tie at their training camp in Lehighsburg, Pa., the score being 18-18. Fritz Henrik, a rookie outfielder, made five hits and received a pass ball, which he drove home. Three of his hits were doubles.

The Phillies are scheduled to meet the Brooklyn Dingers at Clearwater, Fla., today, in their first exhibition game.

Reports from the Athletics camp at Montgomery, Ala., said the players gradually were rounding into shape. Bad weather has interfered to some extent with their practice. The last game between the regulars and Yanigans is scheduled for tomorrow.

**Menel Still Nursing Injuries**

NEW YORK, March 13.—All of the world's champion New York Yankees' regulars were in training today at New Orleans, except Bob Menel, who is nursing injuries.

The regular roster was completed yesterday with the arrival of Pitcher Waite Hoyt. However, Pitcher Bob Shantz, who is in camp, has not yet signed a contract, and Carl Combs, a likely recruit, has been delayed in reporting.

**Carl Mays Pitcher for Reds**

CINCINNATI, March 13.—Carl Mays will make his debut as a pitcher for the Cincinnati Nationals today when he starts the first game of the season against the Reds against the Indianapolis Hoosiers, at Plant City, Fla. Babe Ruth and Bob Vining will finish the game.

## If You Would Attend Lombard; Brush Up on Tennis



LET'S TO RIGHTE ETHEL BOSWORTH, HANNAH MICHAELSON, BESSIE BRUNDAGE.

Closed racket wielders at Lombard have proved decidedly that tennis has its place in the curriculum.

The American girl student.

Belief that tennis may grow to occupy even a greater portion of importance in the life of the college girl was expressed by Miss Margaret Stoekey, director of women's athletics.

Baseball writers express confidence

that Joe Shaute, southpaw, will be one of the regular pitchers this season.

Be sufficiently prepared to enable

them to rank well in the different contests interest in tennis has grown tournaments which are held at the Lombard during the present year.

Miss Stoekey said, until special class

contests must be held during the year to accommodate all the tennis enthusiasts.

The on-set at Lombard has proved

himself a good tennis player and promises to give the men of the campus

strong competition for honors this year.

## SPORTS OF ALL SORTS

### GIANTS

## Hope of New York Giants to Win Fourth Consecutive Pennant Depends on Bushers



LEFT TO RIGHT, UPPER: ERNEST MAUN, HOMER BALDWIN, EARL WEBB, LOWER: JOE BRADSHAW, DAVE THOMPSON.

BY N.E.A. SERVICE  
SARASOTA, Fla., March 13.—The hope of the New York Giants to win a fourth consecutive pennant in the National League centers around the star pitchers. Manager McGraw has bought from the minors. They are now showing their stuff before the critical eye of the famous manager.

McGraw is taking an intensive campaign which he hopes will develop two of his star "Bushers" into regulars. Usually a major league manager is content if the crop of rookie pitchers produces one twirler capable of holding

his own in the majors. McGraw is hoping for two of the recruits to come through.

Much interest at present is being taken in Ernest Mann, a husky right-hander who was the sensation of the Western League last year.

Pitching for Weikin Kins, that team finishing third in the race, Mann led the league with 26 victories and 11 losses.

Howard Baldwin, who starred last season with the Newark club of the International League, is another bright prospect.

Working for a near tailender, New playing chess identified on the coast. It may be just a coincidence, but this happens to be the way we like to attend chess lectures.

A war has broken out in the ranks of amateur billiards, thus proving that wars are not at all particular where they break out.

### COMPANY D TO BE REORGANIZED

Information has been received at the local army recruiting station to the effect that Company D, First Engineers, one of the crack army units, is to be reorganized May 1st at Camp two, commissioned and 14 non-commissioned officers will be selected from men now on duty at Fort Dupont, Delaware, and 73 recruits will be needed from the first corps area to fill the ranks of the unit. The company will remain at Lewes until fall, returning to Fort Dupont for winter duties.

The engineers, says Sergt. Kimball, local recruiting officer, offer many opportunities for enlisted men to get special ratings and I shall be glad to receive inquiries concerning qualifications for enlistment in this company from Lowell boys.

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# STOCK MARKET

## FARM RELIEF BILL

Proposal for \$20,000,000 to Bolster Credit of Banks in Northwest Defeated

NEW YORK, March 13.—Over-night announcement that American bankers had given a credit of not less than \$100,000,000 to the French government gave a strong tone to opening prices in today's stock market. General Electric, 14½; U. S. Steel, 14½; and Norfolk & Western 1, while most of the stand-and-industrials improved fractionally.

General Electric gained 1 points, and U. S. Steel 1, 14½. Gains of a point or so were recorded by U. S. Cast Iron Pipe, Baldwin American Can and Phelps Dodge. New York Stock, 14½; Texas & Mexican and Brooklyn-Manhattan Transfer, preferred, each dropped about 1½.

Morning trading which had been rather lethargic in character was enlivened by the inauguration of dividends on Southern Railway common, that stock immediately jumping four points to 35, a record high, on heavy transactions. New 1924 highs were established by Woolworth at 32½, up 1½; May & Fisher, 15½, up 5; Morgan, 14½, and New York Stock at 25½, up 1½. The money available for stock market purposes, as reflected in the renewal rate of 4 per cent for call funds also encouraged operations on the long side. Buying a DuPont, which advanced 3½ points, followed the reported accumulation of General Motors by banking interests. DuPont being the largest holder of General Motors stock. Strength of Southern Railway helped other rails, St. Louis Southwestern, Missouri Pacific, preferred, and Washburn preferred, each advancing more than a point.

Southern Railway yielded no profit-taking after the dividend announcement. Prices did not yield much and when the shorts covered they found stocks rather scarce and bid up several others sharply to get a supply, notably Baldwin, U. S. Steel and American Can.

**Cotton Market**  
NEW YORK, March 13.—Settlement for futures opened March 28, 25; May, 28½; July, 27½; October, 25½; December, 25½.

**NEW YORK MARKET**  
High Low Chg.

	High	Low	Chg.
Allis Chal.	45½	45½	15½
Am Beet Sug.	11½	11½	11½
Am Can.	116½	112½	15½
Am Car. & F.	165	165	165
Am Loco.	174½	173½	173½
Am Smel.	61	60½	60½
Am Sug.	54	53½	53½
Am Smel.	15	13½	13½
Am. & F.	130½	130½	130½
Am. Wool.	75½	75½	75½
Appomattox	34	33½	33½
Arch.	38½	38½	38½
Atch.	69	68½	68½
Atch. Gulf	16½	16½	16½
Baldwin	123½	121½	121½
B. & O.	56½	56½	56½
Bo. & L.	59½	59½	59½
Beth. Steel	56½	56½	56½
Cal. Poter.	21½	21½	21½
Can. Pac.	141½	141½	141½
Cent. Loco.	12	12½	12½
do pf.	31½	31½	31½
Ches. & O.	72½	72	72
Co. F. & P.	23½	23	23½
Co. F. & P.	35	35	35
Ches. & O.	25½	25	25
Com. Gas.	66	65	65
Corn Prod.	177½	176½	177½
Corn. Ste. Co.	63	63	63
Cuba Can.	15½	15½	15½
Del. & Hud.	107½	107½	107½
Edie.	25½	24½	24½
do pf.	31½	31	31½
Gen. Elect.	217½	213	213½
Gen. Motors.	12	11	11
GT. N. P.	37½	37	37
Im. Mar. Mar.	30½	30½	30½
Im. Prince.	10	9½	9½
Im. Keweenaw	36½	35½	36½
Im. Lehigh Vall.	68½	69	68½
Maxwell	114	113½	114
Met. & St.	56½	55½	55½
Met. & St.	31½	31	31½
Mother Lode	82	82	82
Mo. Pac.	118	115	118
Mo. Pac.	127½	126½	127½
N. Y. & Me. R.	11½	11	11½
N. Y. Cent.	106½	106½	106½
N. Y. & N.	20	19½	19½
Nor. & West.	119½	119	119½
No. Pac.	52½	52½	52½
Pan. Am.	56½	56½	56½
Penn.	128	126½	128
Pere Marquette	42	42½	42
Pitts. Coal.	62½	62½	62½
P. W. V.	11½	11½	11½
Pure Oil.	21½	21½	21½
Ray. Con.	10	10	10
Reading	55½	55½	55½
Rep. I. & S.	55½	55½	55½
St. Paul	114	113½	114
Sinclair Oil	22½	22½	22½
St. Paul	84½	84½	84½
St. Po.	50½	50½	50½
St. Po.	72½	72	72
Stewart	60½	58½	58½
Stude.	101½	100½	101½
Tenn. Coal.	72½	72	72
Tex. Pac.	22	21½	21½
U. S. Al.	12½	12½	12½
U. S. R.	76	75½	75½
U. S. R.	87½	87½	87½
U. S. Steel	101½	101½	101½
do pf.	110½	110	110
Wash.	148	144	144
do pf.	41½	40½	41½
W.H.S.	12	11½	11½
West. Un.	163½	163½	163½

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Am. Prod. pt.	123½	123½	123½
Am. Wood pt.	101½	101½	101½
Armadale	112	112	112
Bos. El.	77½	77½	77½
Bos. & Ad.	147½	147½	147½
Bos. & Me.	11	11	11
Cal. & Ariz.	14½	13½	13½
Cal. & Hes.	16	15½	16
Cop. Range	23½	23½	23½
Davis Ddy.	19½	19½	19½

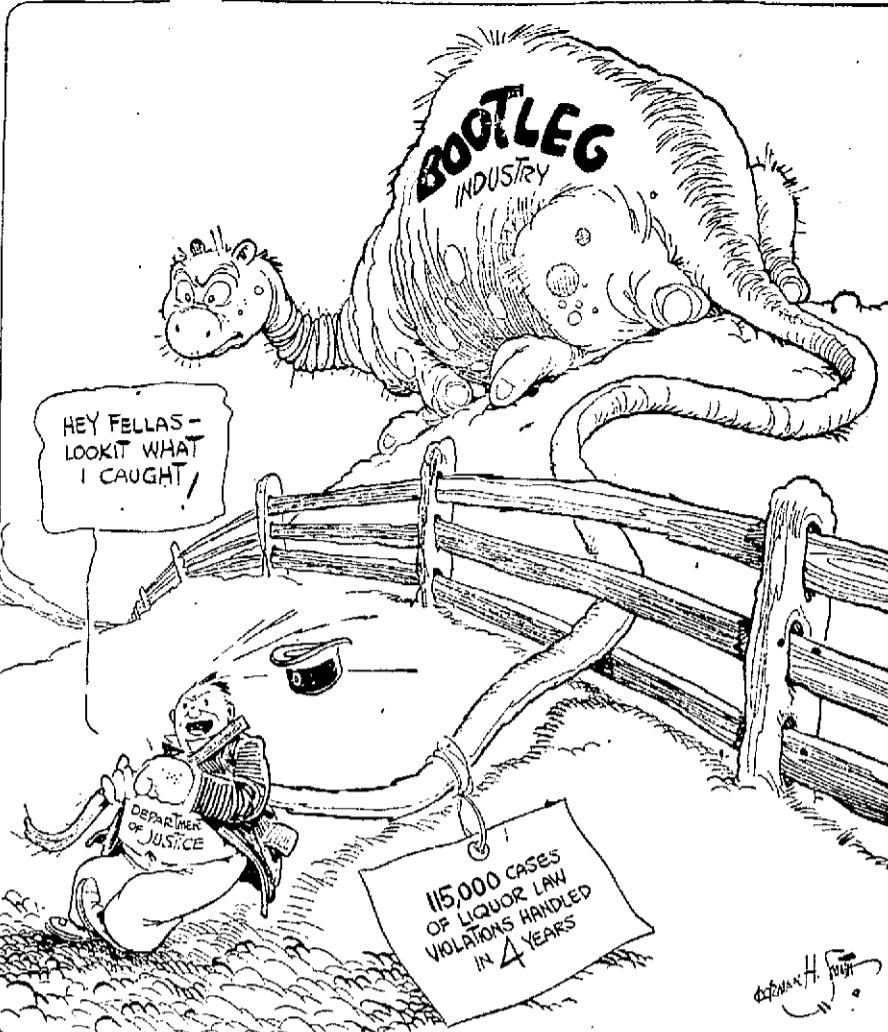
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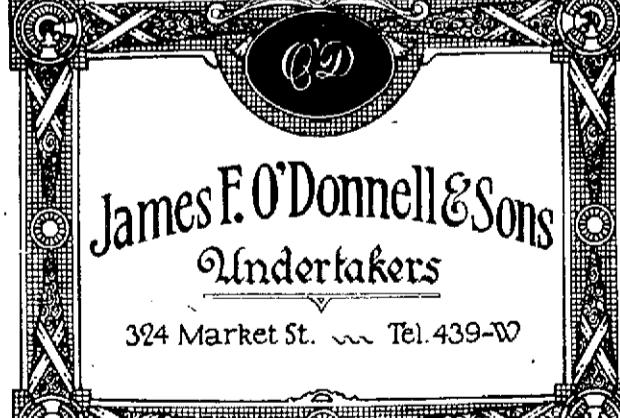
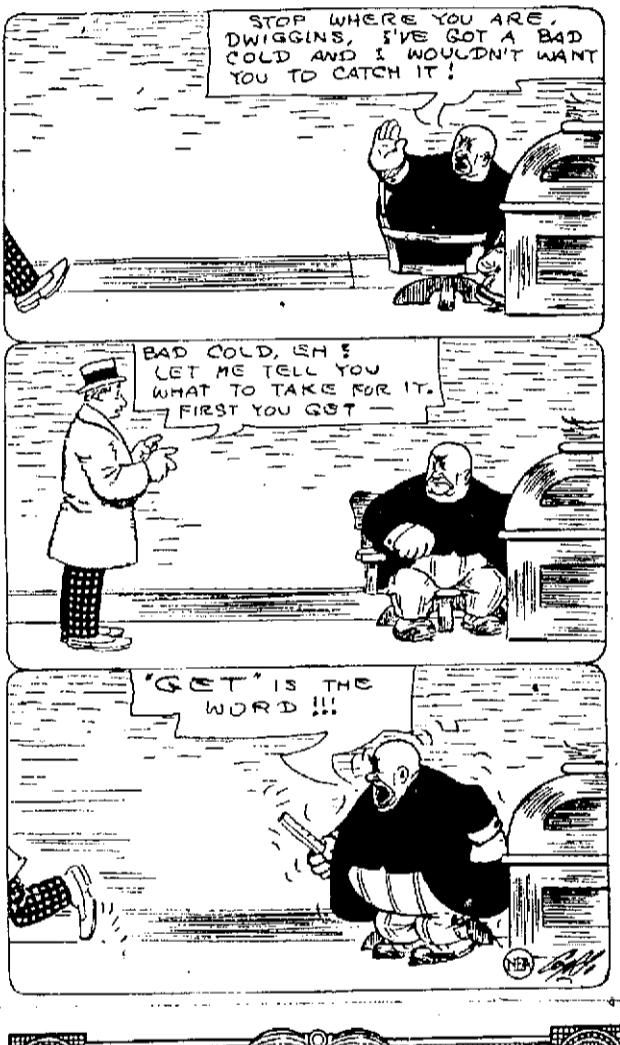
WE CAN'T GET VERY EXCITED ABOUT THIS



JUST ONE OF THOSE STUNTS PHOTOGRAPHERS DO

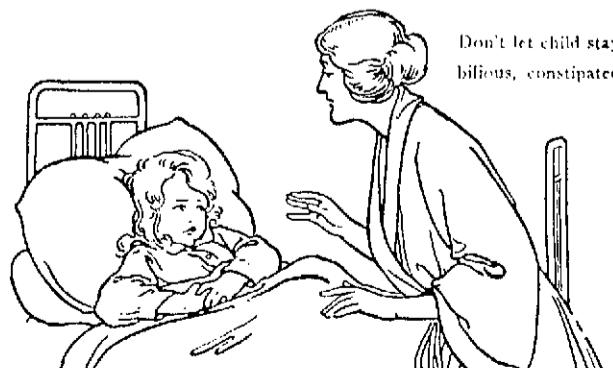
This picture doesn't prove a blooming thing except that the camera man wanted a picture of Hugh McQuillan, of the New York Giants, trading headpieces with one of the Florida natives. We ought to build some sort of legend around the incident, telling how the native is a great follower of big baseball players and yearned for the sensation that comes with wearing a star's cap, but we aren't going to do it. We are one of those truthful sort of reporters, anyway.

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The Sun has by far the largest circulation of any Lowell paper. Ninety per cent of Sun readers do not read any other Lowell newspaper. See the point Mr. Advertiser?



GIVE "CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP"

Dependable Laxative for Sick Baby or Child — Harmless!

Hurry Mother! Even a bilious, constipated, feverish child loves the pleasant taste of "California Fig Syrup" and it never fails to open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has always printed on bottle. Mother! You may say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup. Adv.

Call Mortimer as Witness  
Continued

and attorneys general called into the case in charge of prohibition proceedings, and it is understood that some of the evidence previously produced at the trial related to alleged irregularities in bond withdrawal. There was every evidence that the department of justice was prepared to ask for specific criminal action. Attorney General Daniels has refused to disclose to the house the names of men accused of having apparently in hastening bond proceedings so that they may not be hampered by a concurrent hearing by the house committee on crime same evidence.

The special house committee are pointed to investigate the charges do not expect to get its inquiry under way before the end of the week. It was decided today to hold public hearings but first the committee in executive session plans to go over the evidence and to determine what witnesses should be called.

Although the committee intended to examine witnesses in the open so there could be no charge of "star chamber" proceedings, Chairman Burton said today it might be found advisable to question some without in a preliminary way in private, the evidence bearing directly on the case. The witness to be called probably will be Mortimer.

NEW HAVEN R. R. FINANCES  
NEW YORK, March 13.—Edward G. Brookfield, vice president of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, said today that the end of the first quarter would find the road in better condition and with most promising earnings since the war. He estimated net deficit would be about \$600,000 compared with \$1,688,000 a year ago.

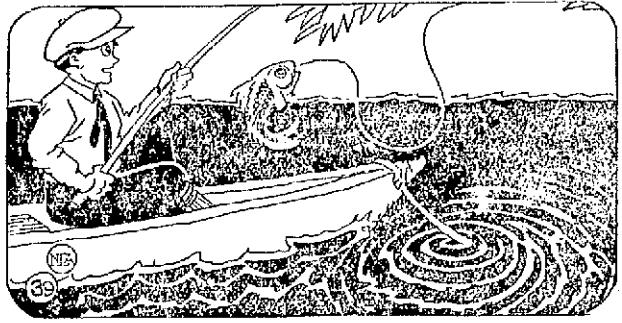
## Jack Daw's Adventures. Chapter 13



In a very short time the hermit had gathered fishing tackle together and, followed by Flip, the two campers headed for the old fishing spot that the hermit knew so well. Arriving there they crawled into a peculiar shaped boat and paddled out into the stream. "Here's a good place," suddenly said the hermit.



Jack stood up and tossed a rock anchor overboard and the long boat, hewn out of a log, drifted to a stop. Lines were shortly dropped into the stream and almost instantly Jack shouted, "Hush, I've got a bite." The hermit laughed and said, "You don't have to be quiet here. The fish bite anyway."



Jack then jerked his line and felt a strong pull on it. "Yank it in!" shouted the hermit. And Jack gave his line a sudden pull. There was a splash and then a fine fish appeared above the water. "You've got it!" said the hermit, and Jack landed the fish in the bottom of the boat. "Isn't it a peach?" he said. (Continued.)

**ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS**  
By Olive Roberts Barton



"What's this thing?" said Nancy curiously.

A long came a fiddler on his way though it was only a little noise for the fair. A jolly fiddler was he, but oh, he was as big as a light-house, and his fiddle was as big as a boat.

He played as he went and his big bow scraped the strings at a furious rate. The sun was hot and the road of Beantalk Land was dusty, and the jolly fiddler got very thirsty.

"I'll just leave my good fiddle under a tree," he said. "And hunt a spring of nice, clear water. Then I can eat my slice of bread and cheese and take a short nap. I'll play all the better for it when I reach the fair."

He laid down his fiddle, and went off into the woods to hunt a spring, but no sooner had he gone than along came Nancy and Nick, as happy as two little birds just out of a cage.

"What's this thing?" said Nancy curiously, as she spied the fiddle.

The two of them walked all around it and finally crawled up on top and looked down the hole.

"I know," declared Nick. "It's a fiddle, and one of the Beantalk Giants has left it here. With that he unloosed one of the strings. Bang! It went with a singing noise, but al-

most as though it was the sound of a gun."

"Now I've got you!" cried the jolly

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON	
Southern Division	Portland Division
To Boston F. C. Boston	To Boston F. C. Boston
Lowell April 12, 1924	Lowell April 12, 1924
6.30 7.45 8.30 9.10 10.30 11.30	6.30 7.45 8.30 9.10 10.30 11.30
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TWO PERISH IN FIRE WITH THE LEGISLATORS

Mrs. Keefe Burned to Death  
and Her Son Andrew Suf-  
focated in Malden Home

MALDEN, March 13.—Mrs. Nellie M. Keefe, was burned to death and her son, Andrew L. Keefe, was suffocated in a fire which started in the cellar of their home here today and badly damaged the house. Mrs. Keefe was trapped on a stairway, while trying to reach the front door and her son was overcome in a bedroom.

Another son escaped by jumping from an upper window into the snow. Mrs. Keefe's husband, Lawrence Keefe, employed as a night watchman, had not returned home when the fire started. Andrew Keefe was well known locally as a "Twilight League" baseball player.

HOPE ADDRESS WILL BE  
HEARD AROUND WORLD

NEW YORK, March 13.—Nine powerful radio stations in Great Britain, each using a 500-watt wave length, will begin broadcasting at 6 o'clock tonight (eastern standard time) an address by William Marconi, which it is hoped, will be heard around the world. Arrangements have been made with listeners with special receiving sets in California and Shanghai, China, to cable at once, if they are able to hear the address. It was announced that radio has covered the world.

Fight to Annul Oil Leases

Continued

Setting Sinclair, who negotiated the Tea Pot Dome lease on behalf of the Mammoth Oil Co., have refused to make known the defense they will make to the government's plan for a temporary injunction and receivership, although Sinclair has announced that the suit for annulment of the lease would be fought to the end.

Government Fights Suit

CHESAPEAKE, Wyo., March 13.—Charging fraud, conspiracy and illegality, the government filed its suit here today to cancel the Tea Pot Dome lease and contracts.

The government's special counsel petitioned the United States district court to do three specific things: 1, issue a temporary injunction stopping all production; 2, appoint a receiver to take charge of the properties; 3, enter a final decree cancelling the leases and contracts, returning the properties to the government and enforcing an accounting.

Ex-Sen. Fall Accused

Former Secretary Fall was charged with making "false representations" to the late President Harding, which resulted in the transfer of the lands from the navy to the interior department. The government denies that there was any warrant of law for leasing the lands at all.

The bill further alleges that Fall and Harry F. Sinclair, the latter acting for the Mammoth Oil Co., "did combine, conspire and confederate to defraud the United States."

The result of these alleged acts, the government's bill recites, was to lease the Tea Pot Dome lands to the Mammoth Oil Co. "an inadequate, improper and fraudulent consideration."

Former Secretary Denby in connection with the transaction is described in the government's bill as "having exercised no discretion" and his signature is characterized "as merely a colorable attempt to evidence the compliance by him in its terms."

The Sinclair Crude Oil Purchasing Co., and the Sinclair Pipe Line Co., operating storage tanks on Tea Pot Dome, were made parties to the suit as trespassers to be ejected, their properties to be taken over by the receiver.

Prepared by former Senator Pompei and Owen J. Roberts, special counsel for the government, the bill goes over much of the ground covered in the senate investigation.

Harding Acted Without Authority

It recites that former President Harding was without authority to transfer the lands, but did so on "false representation from Fall," who desired to deal with the lands "out in the interest of the United States" but to the advantage, profit and benefit of the Mammoth Oil Co. and its principal, Harry F. Sinclair.

Fall, the bill charges, knew at the time that the whole transaction was illegal.

Evidence of the alleged conspiracy, the government's bill charges, is found in the fact that the agreements were made in secret by private negotiation "without advertisement or competitive bidding" and that prospective bidders were discouraged from bidding and denied the opportunity to fall. The Texas company, the Phoenician, Mr. Phelan declared that to give the Japanese the same recognition as is accorded Europeans under the quota provisions "would be to discriminate" not against them but "in favor of them as against the Chinese, the Hindus, the Shamois and other proud and cultured people."

Citing that the federal government by law for ten years has drawn a distinction between those that are eligible to citizenship and those that are ineligible, he asserted that since "adoption of the gentleman's agreement in 1920, 80,000 Japanese women have been sent over with Japanese passports as all-white bachelors."

"They are prolific," he added, "and serve both as wives and laborers in the field. The tide rises and in a few years, the Pacific coast will be 'Hermanized' as it is now."

REPORT KENYON TURNS  
DOWN CABINET POST

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Judge William S. Kenyon, of Newark, New Jersey, the president of the American Society of the Red Cross, has agreed with John C. Shaffer, the newspaper publisher, to see that Sinclair takes apart certain of the leased lands for "the benefit of the same Shaffer."

"By the rules heretofore before set forth, and other matters," the government's bill concludes, "the government, a bill compiler, Albert B. Fall and Harry F. Sinclair did fraudulently and consciously combine, confederate and conspire, to defraud the United States of America and the result of their alleged acts was to get the Tea Pot lands leased to the Mammoth Oil Co. as an inadequate, improper and fraudulent consideration."

MANUFACTURER DROPS DEAD

NEW YORK, March 13.—John F. Alward, prominent manufacturer, died suddenly at his home today.

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